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IN THE FIGHT FOR FREEDOM

Send in news of your boy so his friends in uniform may keep in touch with him. Phone 780.

Cfn. Stewart Baker, recently returned from overseas, left Wednesday to report to Regina, having volunteered for Pacific duty.

LAC Harry Peppiatt, Vancouver, is spending a furlough at his home.

LAW Edith Slade writes from Yorkshire, England, "It sure is very nice of the town council to send us the newspaper. We do love to read it, and I pass it on to others."

LAC Herbert Elines has been transferred from Port Hardy, B.C., to Pennfield Ridge, N.B.

Pte. Doris James, C.W.A.C., Cumberland, Vancouver Island, B.C., now stationed at Trinity Barracks, Toronto, spent the weekend with her aunt and uncle, Deputy-Reeve and Mrs. Arthur Evans.

Cfn. Arthur Brymer returned yesterday from a two weeks visit with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hunter, Plattsville, near New Hamburg.

LAW Pearl Davidson, R.C.A.F. (W.D.), Clinton, was the recipient of many useful gifts at a miscellaneous shower held at the home of Mrs. Ernest Saxon. The rooms were decorated in pink and white. About 40 guests gathered to honor the bride-to-be.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pinder, Willowdale, and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Byrnes, Temiskaming, Que., attended the funeral of Mrs. W. Byrnes at Merriton last week. Mrs. Pinder and Mrs. Byrnes are sisters of the late Mrs. Stella Boyd.

STREET DANCE, CARNIVAL SET FOR AUG. 15-16

The Newmarket Lions club is sponsoring a carnival and street dance on Wednesday and Thursday of next week. The carnival, Wednesday evening, will be held at Lions club park and the street dance, Thursday, will be on Main St.

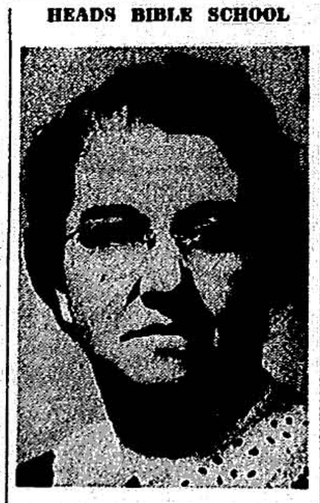
The proceeds of the carnival and dance will be used to further work among the boys and girls of the community. An example of the work done by the club has been the summer program at the park under the direction of Fred L. Hall. The program was sponsored by the club without cost to the parents or children.

A feature of the carnival Wednesday night will be the tent show. There will be four performances with the first one, free to children, starting at 7.30 p.m. Performers in the show include Rod Roddick, magician, Nancy McCaig, piano-accordionist, and Bonnie Lynne, tap dancer.

Also part of the carnival will be games and sideshow attractions.

The street dance will be held Thursday night at the south end of Main St. Russ Creighton with his variety band and floor-show will be there to give forth with both old and new dance tunes.

HEADS BIBLE SCHOOL



Mrs. L. E. Sparks, wife of Rev. Sparks, is superintendent of the Daily Vacation Bible school, sponsored by the Church of the Nazarene, which commences Monday, Aug. 13, at 9 a.m.

SNAKE FERRY BURNS SUNDAY NO ONE HURT

Flames, believed to have been ignited by a spark touching off gasoline, destroyed the ferry boat that runs between Island Grove and Snake Island Sunday night.

The fire was first noticed as the boat was being readied for a trip to the island from the Island Grove dock. Aboard the ferry at the time were 20 passengers and the driver, Morrey Longhurst. As the boat was still tied to the dock, the passengers were able to disembark without delay. No one was hurt.

Carson Pollock, owner of the boat, boarded the burning boat at some risk to himself and was able to rescue $200 worth of equipment. He then fastened a tow line to the boat and it was towed into the lake where it burned until it sunk.

The ferry is the only regular means of transportation between Island Grove and Snake Island. It was a veteran of many years service. At the present time, cottagers are being transported between the island and the shore by means of an outboard. Mr. Pollock, however, plans to have another, larger boat in service before many days.

PLAY-OFF FRIDAY

Newmarket tangles with Richmond Hill in the first game of the juvenile baseball play-offs at Stuart Scott school grounds Friday at 7 p.m. Newmarket is the present league leader.

HARRIET STARR DIES FRIDAY AT AGE OF 87

In the death last Friday, Aug. 3, of Harriett Frances Stephens, widow of Mordicai F. Starr, the community suffered the loss of a life-long resident and one highly esteemed.

She was born Aug. 28, 1857, the daughter of Nelson Stephens and Emily Penrose, on lot 27, con. 3, Whitchurch township. On Dec. 19, 1877, she married Mordicai Starr who lived three-quarters of a mile north of her home. They lived in the same school section until the death of the latter in June, 1934. Afterwards she and their eldest daughter, Esther S. Hawtin, continued to live in the home built in 1919 on the opposite end of the same lot on which she was born.

Her parents were Anglican but shortly after her marriage, she adopted the faith of her husband and became a member of the Religious Society of Friends (Quaker). She was ever interested in work of Christian enterprise and moral reform; her specialty being primary class teaching in Sunday-school. She taught for 30 years at Bogarttown Sunday-school.

Two sons, Edgar and N. Elroy, predeceased her. She is survived by one son, Elmer, on the home farm, and three daughters, Mrs. R. R. Hawtin, at home; Mrs. J. A. Hawtin, Beaverton; Mrs. A. T. Cleaver, Simcoe; and 14 grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Four grandchildren were unable to be present at the funeral service. They were R. R. Hawtin of civil service, Ottawa; George F. Hawtin, D.F.C., in England; Francis Starr of the Friends' Ambulance Unit in China; and Harriett Ann Cope, Columbiana, Ohio.

Ministers of three different denominations had part in the funeral service, Joseph Clayton, Norwich, Harry Parry, Wellington, R. R. McMath, Pine Orchard and Newmarket, and Alvin Winger, Gormley.

The pallbearers were one son-in-law and five grandsons. Burial was in the family plot at Pine Orchard cemetery.

Friends from a distance were: Francis, Lucinda and Carl Pollard, Joseph and Caroline Clayton, Norwich; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Harris, Rockwood; Elizabeth Richardson, Pickering; Mr. and Mrs. J. Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. M. Ridley, Mrs. Edith Borverman, Mr. and Mrs. J. Round and children of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. H. Hardy, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Weldon and Mrs. Herbert Weldon, Oakwood.

NEWMARKET SOLDIERS RETURN FROM OVERSEAS IN INCREASING NUMBERS



PTE. CHARLES HARRISON



PTE. CHARLES GORDON



FO MYLES MacINNIS



CPL. GLAISTER GRAVES

More Newmarket boys have returned home this week from service overseas. Among recent arrivals have been Pte. Charles Harrison, Cpl. Glaister Graves, Cpl. Percy Myers, Pte. Charles Gordon, Pte. Victor Williams, Tpr. J. R. White, Pte. Douglas May and FO Myles MacInnis.

Pte. Harrison enlisted early in the war and went overseas with the R.H.L.I., transferring to the 48th Highlanders in 1943. A veteran of the Italian and Sicilian campaigns, he also served in Belgium, Holland and, for a short time, in Germany. He is in Newmarket on a 30-day leave. Telling of his experiences overseas, he said he was most impressed by the varying living standards he found in the countries he fought in. "Italy," he said, "has by far the lowest living standard there could be. Everywhere you see nothing but filth and poverty."

Cpl. Graves, son of Walter Graves and the late Mrs. Graves, former Newmarket residents, arrived at his father's home in Toronto on Tuesday. Wounded three times, Cpl. Graves saw service with the Royal Regiment of Canada in north-west Europe.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. George Myers, Cpl. Myers enlisted Sept. 15, 1939, and went overseas early in 1940. He saw service in France and Germany and in February of this year, was injured in a motor-cycle accident. While overseas, he married Miss Elizabeth Shobie. Cpl. Myers has had no definite word when his wife can join him in Canada.

Pte. Gordon saw service in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany as a member of the Argyle and Sutherland Highlanders. Enlisting in August, 1940, he went overseas in February, 1941.

Pte. Victor Williams is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Williams. Enlisting in June, 1940, he went overseas in September, 1942, with the Irish Regiment of Canada. He saw service in Italy and later in France, Belgium and Holland.

Tpr. White is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William White, former Newmarket residents. He and his brother, David White, were the next two Newmarket boys to enlist after Victor Bridges. Tpr. White is at present staying in Toronto.

Last War Veteran Finds Relatives After 25 Years

When William Moore and a friend of Toronto visited Mr. Moore's mother and brother, Mrs. Josephine Moore and Earlby Moore, Newmarket, over the weekend, a period of 25 years when neither family knew if the other was still living was ended.

William Moore, a veteran of the last war, came home in 1917 suffering from shell shock and loss of memory. He spent a short time in Christie St. hospital, Toronto, and was then moved to another hospital where no trace of him could be found and it was not until he walked into the home of his cousin, Mrs. Melville Schrank, and Mr. Schrank was it known that he still lived. Mrs. Schrank informed him that his mother and brother were still living and took him there.

The Moore family and Mr. and Mrs. Gable and family of Eagle St. motored to Sharon to attend a tent meeting on Saturday and following their return a social evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gable.

A pleasant evening of dancing and other amusements was spent on Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melville Schrank when Miss Margaret Schrank and Earlby Moore entertained with the piano and mouth organ.

HOLD PICNIC

The annual picnic of the Newmarket W.I. will be held at the home of Mrs. McDonald, Pearson's Crossing, on Thursday, Aug. 16, at 2.30 p.m. Miss Anna Lewis, superintendent of Women's Institutes of Ontario, will be present at the picnic. All members are asked to come and provide refreshments.

TORONTO GIRLS AT CAMP

Canadian Girls in Training now in camp in North York Memorial camp site (Camp Ahahmeyong), Ducks Point, are from Toronto. The Toronto Girls' Work Board has rented the site for the first 20 days of August and will operate another girls' camp when the present one finishes.

The intermediate North York girls finished their camp on July 31. The senior girls will go into camp Aug. 21.

BLOOD CLINIC AUG. 17

A Red Cross blood donor clinic will be held in the Sunday-school rooms of Trinity United church Friday, Aug. 17. Prospective donors are asked to make an appointment for the clinic by telephoning the clerk's office, 105, or 250.

GIVE FARMER FIRST CLAIM ON NEW DRUG

Several proprietary barn sprays containing the new insecticide popularly known as DDT have been registered recently for sale in Canada under the pest control products act, an act administered by the plant products division, dominion department of agriculture, under which the quality and advertising of insecticides and other pesticides is regulated. Canadian farmers are among the first civilians in the world to have the opportunity of buying a DDT insecticide for use in insect control.

Until recently DDT was restricted almost entirely to military use in controlling lice, mosquitoes, flies and other disease-carrying insects in combat areas. Production of DDT in Canada not required for such purpose has made this new development possible. Priority was given to the use of DDT in the form of a barn spray as being of value in increasing food production, a vital need at the present time.

The department explains that the DDT barn or stable spray is a residual spray and should not be sprayed into the air as is an ordinary fly spray, but should be applied to walls, ceilings and other surfaces frequented by flies and other insects, in a fairly coarse spray sufficient to wet the surface without allowing too much runoff. One gallon is sufficient to treat about 1,000 square feet, and a portable compressed air sprayer is satisfactory for applying it. The dry deposit of DDT left on the treated surfaces after the liquid carrier has evaporated may continue to kill flies and mosquitoes that come in contact with it for several weeks after the application.

The department says that DDT spray must not be applied to live stock, as the chemical is poisonous and is absorbed through the skin. Care should also be taken not to spray it on foodstuffs. The person applying the spray should avoid wetting his own skin, as far as possible, by wearing protective clothing and by washing exposed parts thoroughly in soap and water as soon as the spraying is finished. There is nothing to fear from the fly deposit on the walls, however, as DDT is not absorbed in the dry state.

The DDT barn sprays have been prepared specially for use in farm buildings such as cattle barns, horse stables and piggeries, and are not intended for household use, says the department.

IN HOSPITAL

LAC John Hunter is stationed at Clarmac St. hospital, Toronto. His mother, Mrs. Alex. Thompson, resides this community.

CONDUCTS SERVICE

Rev. F. M. Brunton took the morning's services at St. Paul's Anglican church on Sunday and will be in charge of the services the rest of the month.

Wilhelmshaven Was Pasted, Writes Pte. Kester Hugo

ON PACIFIC LEAVE



Cpl. Joyce before reporting for Parade Training in Gov. Clarmac St. Union, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Elmer, Prospect Ave.

GAMES POSTPONED

The regular Tuesday night lawn bowling games will be played on Thursday this week, as they were rained out on Tuesday.

The Newmarket club will entertain the Richmond Hill club on Thursday, Aug. 16, and not the week as previously planned.

The open twilight tournament, which was scheduled for Thursday, Aug. 16, is being postponed owing to the Lions club ambition on that night.

A letter of thanks for cigarets sent him by the Newmarket Veterans' Association Comforts fund has been received from Pte. Kester Hugo who is stationed in Germany with the occupational forces.

He writes: "I have just returned from a very delightful 11-day leave in Scotland. On returning to my unit, I found it had moved from Germany to Holland. Now I find myself back at Germany and far from where I was stationed with the Second Anti-Tank, R.C.A., to which I had been attached since coming to the theatre. The occupational forces have now taken over where we were posted with a field dressing station in Varel, so how from Williamshaven to where we Germany. I am expecting it will be many months before any turn comes to return to Canada.

"We have had the privilege of seeing the docks and harbours at Williamshaven and it was an unforgettable sight. The mighty battleship, Prince Eugene, is still in harbor and what a powerful looking ship she is. Germans tourists took us around the harbor to see the remnants of what used to be part of the Germany navy. There are dozens of large ships, etc., still lying in harbor and several sunken warships can be seen throughout the area. The docks and the city contained a real gauntlet from the air."

Cfmn. cards of thanks have been received from Pte. R. Callaghan and Pte. J. M. Ferguson.

Orioles Blank Army Girls In Final Tilt Of Schedule

By ORVILLE GANTON

Orioles played out their string with the army last Thursday and defeated them 14 to make it five straight wins. Jack McDonald started some of his younger players and they justified his confidence by playing heads-up ball. Young Pat Duncan fielded faultlessly in left field. However, on two occasions she watched the third strike go by with the bat on her shoulder.

Phil Osborne was moved to second to replace Keith Armitage, who has enlisted. Lois Slight was on the mound and turned in a fair show. Phil Osborne pulled the prettiest fielding play of the season when she leaped high to make a one hand grab at a comparatively low liner, turned it into an assisted double play to retire the army who they threatened to tie the game in the last inning.

Ann Schroder pounded out usual good game. The all smooth fielding showed only six hits and struck out 12 Orioles with published ease. Three of the batters, however, hammered line outs which would discourage many pitchers with less heart. If Schroder could develop a good change of pace and a little more control she would be definitely class A senior calibre. Sue Kallagher, little lump of fun, St. Kitts, fielded well around second. Norma Young just off hospital, displayed plenty of pep at first.

Mary Ellen Markham continued to get in form at one of Schroder's fast pitches. However, after a little massage, a couple of runs and a round of applause, she sparkled a classy single through short.

Orioles: Whitehead c, Markham ss, Faulkner 3b, W. Osborne lf, P. Osborne 2b, Slight p, Tuer rf, Duncan f, Wellington cf.

B.B.C.S.: Bennett 2b, Young 1b, Tuer ss, Kallagher lf, Macleod c, Schroder p, Wormelle rf, Stevens cf, Pellerault cf.

BALL PLAY-OFFS

Aug. 14, Camp vs. Cards.
Aug. 16, Orioles vs. Cards.
Aug. 21, Cards. vs. Camp
Aug. 23, Cards. vs. Orioles
Aug. 28, Camp vs. Orioles
Aug. 30, Orioles vs. Camp

Local Bowlers Set Pace In Tournaments

On the civic holiday at Allandale, Dr. C. H. Brereton and Andrew Murdison won three games with a score of 59 and on Wednesday at Agincourt, Newmarket won the Walton Memorial Cloth. The winning rinkies was Stanley James lead, Percy King vice and Andrew Murdison skip. Their high winning score was 64 plus 11 for three games.

Newmarket men's club will hold a twilight doubles on Monday, Aug. 20. All bowlers wishing to enter this event please put your name on the sheet at the clubhouse. All local rinks will be drawn.

Era and Express classifieds bring trades and buyers together.

Coming Events

Dancing at Shadowbrook's air-conditioned dance hall at Armitage every Wednesday evening to Bill Smith's orchestra of Toronto. This orchestra played at Wilson Lake Pavilion last season. Modern and old time dancing with Rose Smith, dance manager. tfn

Saturday, Aug. 25—Carl Anderson's 11th annual corn roast to be held at Pine Beach, south of Keswick, on the highway. 2w33

Start now and save your waste paper and rags for the salvage collection Sept. 22. Your waste paper and rags are greatly needed. Save and then save more than before. c1w33

YOU CAN HELP US GIVE NEWS OF A SAFE HOME COMING

Newmarket and district men and women are returning from overseas in large numbers these days. You can help us give the news of their return home if you will let us know of their arrival.

If a member of your family is expected home or has arrived home, write us a letter giving the particulars of their arrival, or better still, drop into the office and tell us about it.

EDITOR'S NOTE

Because of the short week, it was impossible to print all the correspondence sent in. Some left out this week will appear next week.

The Era and Express office is open Saturday nights during the summer months from 7 till 9.30

BUILDING WORKERS MUST REPORT TO N.S.S.

Workers experienced in the construction industry, but not now engaged at building construction work, have been required to register with the national employment service during the week of Aug. 6 to Aug. 11, according to an announcement made recently by Humphrey Mitchell, minister of labor.

Men required to register are all those from 16 to 65 years of age, either skilled or unskilled, at various occupations in building construction, who have had a total of at least two years experience, continuous or otherwise, in the construction industry since Dec. 31, 1938.

Construction tradesmen are defined as the order as skilled or unskilled tradesmen or labourers employed or engaged in any building or construction work. Men at present employed on building construction are not required to register under this special registration. The Newmarket office will be open Friday evening to facilitate registration.

"In order to relieve the housing shortage," the labor minister said, "it is necessary to try to get back into building construction work all experienced and qualified men who are working in any other industry. The local employment offices will facilitate transfers to construction by every reasonable means. The fact that there are not a great many construction workers employed in other work is another well known, but that very fact makes it more important to secure the return of any of those men who can be located."

Notice must be provided to veterans Mr. Mitchell pointed out, and this will be taken by taking every means of providing the necessary labor and it is hoped that the munitions home building will be carried out this year in minimum volume.

Newmarket Camp Garners 23 Prizes At Track Meet

By BERNIE GANTNER

Varsity stadium was the scene of the annual track and field championships of military district No. 2 Saturday. Teams sporting the colors of Newmarket, Orillia, Simcoe and Brantford camps, Hamilton trades school and Toronto depot were entered in this final sports meet of the season, No. 23 again emerging victorious for the third time in the last four years.

R.C.A.F. vs. No. 23 in second play-off softball game tonight.

Three records were broken as CSM Alec Stewart's big red team dominated the field of contestants, garnering the most points and being presented with a beautiful prize for the best showing. In the 100 yd. dash, Gnr. Berry of Toronto set a new record of 10.2 seconds, running in soft shoes on the hard cinder track. L.-Cpl. Milt Wallace of No. 23 came up with a new mark of 4.50.6 in the mile run. In the discus throw Pte. Spolnick from Simcoe training centre smashed the old record for the district with a toss of 123 ft., 8½ in.

Camp men to finish in the money were Sgt. Jack Life, who picked up a second in the 100 yd. dash and a first in the 220. Life was also anchor man for the four-man 220 relay team which topped the field. The 440 had Pte. Totten, Neil and Cook finish in that order, making it a Newmarket sweep. In the half mile, Morton, Slater and Robinson crossed the line one, two, three respectively.

Of interest to sports fans was the final track event. Pte. Jim Duvill, the head-line hero of the Gordon Webster child-hunt, demonstrated the same determination and fortitude possessed when he found the missing boy in the dense Muskoka bush a few weeks ago by racing out Cpl. Alaister Cameron with an amazing burst of speed in the last lap of the three-miler.

In the field events, the Newmarket stalwarts did not fare so well gaining only one first, that in the high jump with L.-Cpl. Edgar doing the trick. Cpl. Tommy Jamieson came second in the shot-put and discus throw but failed to show in the pole vault. Cpl. McClaren was third in the running broad jump.

Before the sports program opened, Lieut. Col. Newton Young took the salute as the contestants paraded by the judge's stand led by the pipe bands of No. 23 and Brantford and the brass band of the district depot. It was a glorious day for Newmarket camp. Not only did No. 23 sweep the meet but were presented 23 cups and shields. A quick physical demonstration squad under the able supervision and direction of Sgt. Nick Petrucci drew a huge round of applause for an exhibition of Danish exercises.

RETURNS HOME



Cpl. Percy Myers, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Myers, Newmarket, is a recent arrival home from Europe.

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THE ATOMIC BOMB WEAPON FOR PEACE?

Tuesday's headlines and radio broadcasts were almost entirely devoted to the "atomic bomb." This frightful engine of destruction employing an explosive force equal to 20,000 tons of tnt, was dropped on a Japanese army base. At the time of his announcement about the bomb some hours later, United States Secretary of War Stimson said the results of the bomb's fall had not yet been photographed because of the clouds of dust and debris still covering the target.

The development of the atomic bomb has been often forecast. Science has sought ways of releasing atomic energy ever since the atom was recognized as the basic unit of the universe. Now, near the climax of the bloodiest years of war the world has ever experienced, comes news of success.

In the first rush of enthusiasm over this historic event, foremost in our thoughts is gratitude that the United Nations, not our foes, were the successful ones. With this gratitude is the sobering reflection that it is now conceivable that one nation may completely destroy another in the space of a few hours.

While evidence of its tremendous destructive force is still being gathered, the atomic bomb is being called a sure guarantee against future wars. It is reasoned that the very threat of the use of such a weapon will make nations abandon all thoughts of war. This negative persuasion is not enough.

The penalty of another war as forecast by the development of air power after the first great war, horrible as it appeared, was still not enough to prevent this war. The development of air bombing in the last war, and the atomic bomb in this have not materially changed the principle that he who strikes first most often wins the battle. The nation which strikes first with atomic bombs would destroy its opposition before it could reply. It would be a gamble but Hitler was prepared to take the same risks in 1939.

No, the realization of the destructive power of the atomic bomb is not in itself the complete answer to war. It must be supplemented by international goodwill, by recognition of a common justice for all nations, by equity of treatment, and by a just share in the world's bounty.

CORPORATION OR INCOME TAX?

The present dominion-provincial conference brings new emphasis to a need for federal revenues in excess to those received in pre-war years. The "billion dollar program" to provide jobs, pensions, health insurance and other forms of social security impose upon the federal government the necessity of a continuing high tax levy.

While admittedly, taxes will not continue at their wartime level, they cannot be reduced to the pre-war figure. A question which federal tax experts must answer is whether the reduction will be made in corporation taxes or income taxes. A recently published pamphlet by Walter L. Gordon, entitled Post-War Taxation, puts a strong plea forward for continuing corporation taxes and reduced income taxes.

Briefly, Mr. Gordon's evidence in favor of the reduced income tax is as follows. To reduce the cost of production, more efficiency in production must be obtained. This involves encouragement of the managerial class, formen, superintendents, department heads, engineers, and management generally. Reduced income taxes would permit greater salary return for this class with, presumably, correspondingly increased efforts on their part.

A reduced income tax will enable greater saving for the man who wishes to lay money away with the thought of starting a business of his own. The income tax paid by such a man would go a long way towards providing the initial capital for a new enterprise. Other advantages include easier administration of taxation.

Mr. Gordon does not propose, however, that corporations continue to carry the heavy burden of taxation they now do. He advocates an immediate rescinding of the 100 percent excess profits tax. He does not, however, favor too much of a reduction in the corporation income tax of 18 percent, nor the additional minimum rate of 22 percent (12 percent for companies earning less than $5,000) under the excess profits tax act.

The 100 percent excess profits tax is, the author says, a definite barrier against expansion which is necessary to provide jobs. The 40 percent total income and excess profits taxes might be reduced to 30 percent but hardly less. He urges special tax consideration to new industries and basic industries in order to encourage them.

On a basis of approximately half the present income tax revenues and a 30 percent total corporation tax, instead of 40 percent plus 100 percent excess profits tax, the author estimates that there would be an approximate reduction in government revenues of $550,000,000 which on the basis of 1944-45 estimates would mean a yearly revenue of slightly over two billion dollars as against expenditures of 500 million dollars in 1938.

OVER-ALL PLAN NEEDED

In these columns two weeks ago, immediate action to widen Main St. was urged. Since then, it has been suggested that two obstacles stand in the way of such a project. The first is lack of manpower, the second, expense. In our opinion, these obstacles can be surmounted now to provide at least temporary relief. It would require no great number of men to remove the 18-inch curbing on either side of Main St. to give an additional three feet of roadway. Nor does it seem that the cost would be great.

Manpower and cost do figure largely, however, in any over-all plan to renovate Main St. Even though such a task be postponed by the removal of the curbing, the work must sooner or later be undertaken. To do the sort of job that would make Newmarket synonymous to ample parking space, wide thoroughfares and convenient shopping facilities would require heavy expenditures and employment. If that sort of job is in the minds of those who raise the objections to lack of manpower and heavy expense, surely there can be no disagreement with removing the curbing now and planning for the future developments.

During the war in Europe, we have become accustomed to postponing necessary improvements because of the conditions imposed on us by war. The repair of municipal sidewalks, for example, has had to be postponed because of the war. It has been considered a postwar activity. What we forget is that the postwar period is actually upon us. If it is still not feasible to act, it is certainly necessary to plan now so that when conditions warrant it, there need be no delay in implementing a program of local improvement.

A complete blue-print of public improvements with a budget designed to finance them is needed at once. Opportunities have been lost because such a design was lacking. A good example is the lowering of the tax-rate, done at a time when the municipality could best afford a high levy. The money which would have been accumulating by lowering the tax rate only one mill instead of four would have gone far towards financing town improvements. If the council has some definite plans for the future, such opportunities will not be lost in the future.

AN UNREASONABLE PROTEST

All too often the protest is heard when some plan for municipal improvement is being discussed that it benefits only one section of the town at the expense of the others. For example, it is said that to widen Main St. would be to benefit only the merchants and be an expense without return to those who have no connection with Main St.

Nothing could be more unreasonable. A wider Main St. would affect merchants, there is no question about it. It would bring them increased business and with that increase, the need for larger quarters, for more sales help, provision of better services, a wider range of goods. As more business was brought to Main St., the greater the demand would be for means to handle the increase. Certainly the merchants would benefit. And so would the rest of the town.

The increased business on Main St. would mean greater opportunities for young people. It would mean work for the builders, the painters and the decorators. It would mean more money in circulation in the town to pay for professional and health services which formerly could not be afforded. It would mean bringing to Newmarket new businesses which would provide new benefits to customers. Provision of more services in Newmarket would keep within the town the money that is spent in outside centres.

But this is not the end. A heavier volume of business would mean an increase in real estate values and a corresponding increase in assessments. This would take some of the tax burden from the householder, as well as providing through a more prosperous tax roll greater benefits to the citizen in the form of improved schools, parks, and other municipal services.

There is absolutely no doubt that any improvement which can bring more business to the Main St. merchant will ultimately benefit the town as a whole.

In Passing

The British people are still exercising their penchant for nick-names, according to a report from London. They call the atomic bomb, the "Tommy-bomb."

A distinctive feature of a rural community is the way telephone and electric light poles are utilized as community bulletin boards. In all seasons, brightly colored posters decorate the poles. They may announce a hockey match or an auction sale, a concert or a society tea. Long after the event has come and gone, a remnant of the poster can be seen fluttering from the pole, reminding the passers-by of the event.

A new slant is given on the current shortage of trained help by the Co-Optimist, organ of the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool organization. The Co-Optimist tells of a customer who entered a restaurant and ordered a hamburger. The newly hired waitress placed it before him. "Can I have some ketchup?" he asked. "Ketchup?" responded the girl in a puzzled tone of voice. "Yes, ketchup. The red stuff in the bottle over there," said the customer pointing. The girl went off to get some and the customer turned to his meal. When he looked up, a freshly opened bottle of ketchup with two straws placed in it stood before him.

The plane which has been circling the town recently has become a considerable nuisance. It is not very pleasant for the sick or the children in bed to hear the noise of its engine without being able to locate the source. It is certainly no inducement to sleep. If the pilot has friends in town before whom he wants to demonstrate his skill, we suggest he has given sufficient evidence of it as well as a lack of consideration and that he go away now.

The Newmarket Salvage committee is sponsoring a salvage drive Sept. 22. The objective is 20 tons. Cardboard and paper salvage is used to make cartons for the shipment of food overseas.

Tonight, the parents of the children who have participated in the summer sports and recreation program at Lions park are invited to attend a "field day" so that they may see just how their children have spent their time during the summer afternoons.

Former Bandmaster Lists Requirements For Music

By ORVILLE GANTON

In response to a recent article, a reader writes and asks how to recognize musical talent in children. Generally, musical talent is analysed in the following indispensable fundamentals:

(1) The ability to perceive pitch, which means that one should be able to distinguish minute differences as one note varies from another "up" or "down" in the realm of sound. (2) The ability to distinguish slight variations in intensity or to use a more simple phrase, difference in "loudness" or "softness". (3) The ability to preceive differences in time. People usually calculate time intervals by tapping with the toes or fingers. (4) A fourth characteristic that is closely related to time in the ability to perceive rhythm. Some childen have the ability to execute very complicated rhyms. (5) The fifth factor, which is probably more the result of training than any others mentioned is known as consonance. The ability to distinguish sounds which combine smoothly from those which appear to be rough and poorly fused. (6) The sixth requirement for musical performance at least and for musical appreciation as well, is the ability to remember sequences of sound or melodies and is known as memory.

A further characteristic is the ability to recognize timber or quality of sound. Most people could recognize the difference between a note played by a cello and that of a trombone, although many people may be confused if asked to pick out a cello note from that of a clarinet in the chalumeau register.

Children do not always show ability in all the factors. For example, if a child shows marked ability in five of the factors but was rather low on pitch discrimination he might be well advised to avoid instruments where he must provide his own pitch such as the violin or trombone.

Through radio, phonograph records and other means, greater opportunities are present today for testing musical aptitudes than hitherto. It is likely that more people than we ever dreamed of could learn to become singers and instrumentalists to the point of amusing themselves and others and increasing the enjoyment of life generally. We must not overlook the beneficial result of music upon a person's own state of mind and the opportunity that it provides to enrich life.

TO THE EDITOR

The Editor, The Era and Express: Will you please send me ten copies of The Era and Express of Aug. 2. The article by Dorothy L. Bowman is wonderful. She is quite an exception among mothers. It is a pity all mothers in our land cannot read it and follow the fine example.

There is nothing needed more today than the discipline of our children.

I have been in many of the large cities in Canada and U.S.A. the last six years and to witness the action of young people from two to 20 years, occupying seats on street cars while old women are standing, this with the sanction of parents, accompanying them, is a sad spectacle.

I can well remember the time when this would not be seen. The home and family is the starting point and we will never see a better world without a change in this respect.

Very truly,
Charles H. Haight.

592 Shelbourne St.,
Toronto, Ont.

25 YEARS AGO

From The Era and Express files, Aug. 6, 1920

All members of the I.O.F. are to meet in their court room on Sunday, Aug. 8, at 2 p.m.

Decoration service will be held on Sunday afternoon, Aug. 8. Societies taking part will meet at Oddfellow's Hall, Lot St., at 2.15 p.m.

Dr. Skinner and Mr. Little of Guelph visited the bowling greens and enjoyed a game with our men.

The bowling club will hold a grand tournament on Wednesday, Aug. 18. The northern league tournament will be held on Labor Day.

The Office Specialty gave the town team a set-back on Friday night. The score was 7-4.

The Pastimes of Toronto played a picked team on Saturday afternoon.

There was a splendid market on Saturday. No particular change in the price of butter and eggs. A large quantity of fruit made its appearance. Green apples (windfalls) sold at 25 cents a basket. Raspberries were 20 cents a box. New potatoes sold at $3 a bag.

The principal and staffs of the public schools have once more the distinction of passing all the 38 pupils who wrote the recent high school entrance exam. Fourteen took honors.

The town girls and Office Specialty girls played a baseball game on Thursday. The score was 19-7 in favor of the Town team.

While in Toronto, Mr. Stanley Cody had his car stolen.

Albert Bunn had his collar bone broken when he fell from his bicycle on Tuesday on the race course.

The town girls and Cane's factory girls had a baseball match on Thursday night.

The great orator, Rodolphe Lemieux, will be in Newmarket on Saturday, Aug. 7.

Miss Gladys Hewitt is visiting in Lindsay.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Armitage, Toronto, spent civic holiday here.

Miss Gladys Belfry spent part of her vacation with friends at Beamsville.

Sgt. and Mrs. Fred Bogart and daughter, Toronto, visited friends here on Saturday.

Mr. J. C. Brodie spent civic holiday with his sister, Mrs. J. P. Hunter, at Bronte.

Mr. and Mrs. Trevor Bogart, Toronto, spent a few days with Mr. Bogart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bogart.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell and three children of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. Will Belfry.

Mrs. Harold Garrett and son of Davidson, Sask., are visiting Mrs. Garrett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Thomson, for a month.

Mr. Chas. McCauley and Miss McCauley spent civic holiday with relatives at Georgetown and calling on friends at Bronte.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Walton, Aurora, were present at the field day.

Miss Irene Fierheller is spending her holidays with her father in Detroit. Her sister, Miss Belle Fierheller, accompanied her from Toronto.

50 YEARS AGO

From The Era and Express files, August 9, 1895.

Quite a bit of new wheat has been marketed the past week.

Rev. H. V. Thompson, M.A., of Caledon East has been appointed to the rectorship of Newmarket. Rev. Mr. McCollum, Toronto, will conduct the services next Sunday.

Six cars a day is the rate that the saw logs have been arriving at Newmarket lately for the Wm. Cane and Sons Mfg. Co.

Negotiations were completed yesterday for the purchase of the north end tannery by Mr. Brown of Collingwood.

A regular meeting of the trustees of the public school was held on Tuesday evening.

Seventy loads of gravel have been put on Huron St. east this week.

A cricket match with Barrie was held Thursday afternoon at the Fair grounds.

The firemen had the three reels out for practice on Wednesday evening.

The excursion committee has arranged to have the town bell ring at 5 a.m. so that the citizens will have no excuse for not waking up in time to catch the train which leaves Newmarket at 6.45 sharp.

Pickering College reopens on Sept. 3. High school reopens on Monday, Aug. 26.

The by-law governing the town band was finally passed by the council on Monday evening. Thos. McDonald is the bandmaster. The band is using the council chambers for practice on Tuesday and Friday nights.

Mr. Lowe, Jorham St., has painted his fence.

The fire alarm wires throughout town have been overhauled and tightened and are now in first-class shape.

The separate school house was whitewashed this week.

Mr. Alex. Fierheller and daughter, Detroit, are here on a visit.

Constable Srigley was north this week.

A number from here attended the camp meeting at Morton's Park last Sunday.

Miss Alice Lloyd, King City, has been visiting Miss G. Playter for a couple of weeks.

Mr. J. E. Hughes left on Wednesday for Philadelphia and other Atlantic summer resorts.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Caldwell, Chicago, have been visiting friends here for a few days.

The Epworth League held a picnic at Roche's Point and entertained Rev. J. J. Sparling.

MARRIED — At the Christian church parsonage, Stouffville, on Tuesday, July 30, 1895, by Rev. W. Percy, Jane McKuen, daughter of Mr. John McKuen, Whitchurch township, to J. Jonas Byer, Markham township.

MARRIED — At the residence of the bride, Newmarket, on Monday, Aug. 5, 1895, by Rev. A. Martin, Gertrude Mary, eldest daughter of Mr. J. B. Dawkins, to George Nathan Bailey, Georgina township.

MARRIED—In Newmarket on Wednesday, Aug. 7, 1895, by Rev. D. Prosser, Minnie Harmon to Simon Ramer, both of Newmarket.

MARRIED — At the residence of the bride, Victoria Ave., Newmarket, on Tuesday, Aug. 6, 1895, by Rev. Rural Dean Kirkby, Collingwood, Frances E., youngest daughter of Mrs. Mary A. Wilkin, to Mr. W. E. Foster, eldest son of Mr. Maurice Foster, Newmarket.

MIDSUMMER BEAUTY

By GOLDEN GLOW

As I sit here at my writing table I can see a row of varicolored hollyhocks ranging from deep red, through different shades of pink, to pure white. Some particularly beautiful specimens are a brilliant scarlet. Never have hollyhocks been so lovely as this summer as anyone will tell you for usually their foliage has turned a yellowy brown, all the way up the stalk, by this time. They stand so straight and so tall swaying gracefully in the breeze for all the world like dainty ladies in their summer dresses.

But it was really of the wild flowers I was thinking, the wonderful wild flowers that outclass themselves this year. A drive through the country is a pure joy to a flower lover. The roadside is just now whitened with Queen Anne's Lace or the wild carrot, with its fringy foliage and exquisite lacy blossoms, swaying gently in the breeze. Right along the edge of the dusty country roads the dear, little, daisy-like flower we call the May weed is blooming—it follows the dandelion which earlier in the season borders on highways and covers whole fields with its gold.

We went down Dufferin St. the other day and the roadside, even whole fields, were a heavenly blue with corn cockle blossoms, but on our return about noon they were all closed up. You will look in vain for them unless it happens to be cloudy for they bloom only early in the morning and the place where they grow and which so delighted the eyes, looks drab and gray. If you did not know of this peculiar habit of the "chicory" you would think someone had been busy either picking the flowers (what a job) or cutting them down. I wonder is it the same chicory folks put in coffee?

By the wayside, too, are the sweet smiling, but prickly, thistles that the butterflies love. You sure wonder why the Scots chose it as their emblem. The Scotch thistle is as well known as the shamrock of Ireland or the rose of England. Of course there is a legend to explain it. It seems that when the Danes invaded Scotland they decided to creep up on the Scottish camp silently by night and catch them unawares. So they marched barefooted. However, they did not take the thistles into account and when one of the invading Danes stepped on one unexpectedly he naturally gave a yowl and danced round on the other foot, getting deeper and deeper into trouble. Of course this naturally woke up the sleeping Scots who sprang to the attack and saved their country. In gratitude they forever after took the thistle for their country's emblem.

Oh there are so many, many wild flowers in bloom this week. I know I can't recall them every one but of them all I think the Black-eyed Susan is favorite. I have a jar of them beside me on one side and a vase of Dorothy Perkins' climbing roses on the other and I can't say which I prefer for both are so lovely. The yellow daisy, as it is often called, is as dear to us as the Marguerite or ox-eyed daisy that flowers in June and early July and makes whole fields white. It and the buttercup bloom at the same time, following the dandelions.

Then you'll see whole patches of Bouncing Bet, a queer sort of pinky flower on fairly long stems covered with foliage, and Tansy, with its fern-like leaves and rows and rows of wild buckwheat and yellow Elecampane with clumps of white Everlastings here and there. The wild delphinium with its royal blue flowers and the toad flax or butter and eggs as children call it, can be seen, too, as well as the ragged red flowers of the bee bane or wild bergamot.

I have a Tansy in my flower bed I left in because the foliage was so dainty and a red flower bergamot is growing up right through it and I have seen people step over to have a look-see. I wonder if they think I have a new variety.

Before I finish this rambling article I want to say I am not sure if the lovely sky blue flower called the chicory is really the corn cockle but some folks say it is—it goes by several names, blue corn flower mostly, but never mind the name. Just be sure and look for it right now—it is lovely.

Presently the Michaelmas daisy and the red and yellow devil's paint brush and the golden rod will be in bloom and we will know the summer is nearing its end. Yes it is August and our lovely summer is waning, as you will notice by the lessened light morning and evening.

I keep recalling more and more flowers I've seen recently but I think I've made this plenty long so I'll stop thinking about it and go and weed my flower garden. When I start on this subject I never know when to stop.

THE COMMON ROUND

By Isabel Inglis Colville

SATURDAY NIGHT ADVENTURE

I suppose that Saturday night has always had a spice of adventure in its make-up. My mother tells me that when she was a small girl, 87 or 88 years ago, she and a smaller sister were bathed in a big tub which was set on the hearth stone in front of a roaring fire. They could see all sorts of pictures in the fire while they were being scrubbed and then, in clean flannel nighties, they toasted their toes before the blaze while grandmother washed out their little white sheepskin collars for Sunday.

You see, in those days, Perth was a pioneer place and water was scarce; it was peddled from door to door, hence it was precious and had to serve various purposes.

I remember my special baths on Saturday night for they were taken in a large tin bath which father bought from an Englishman who loved his tub. The bath had a seat at the side and a special place for soap, and being very tiny, I always felt as if I were being cast into the ocean when I was in its depths. It was more fun to sit on the seat and dabble my toes in the water and pretend I was at the seashore.

But putting all back history aside, I am thinking of our current Saturday night adventure—a drive through Newmarket's Main St.! We go to town early for we like to shop without the suffocation attendant a later time and then sit in the car for an hour visiting with friends and watching the world go by. This is fine, for Newmarket on Saturday night is a colorful place. Everyone from infants to the aged are there with the necessary sprinkling of boys on bicycles and dogs, small and big. The stores are well lighted and doing a rushing business and except that one looks with a longing eye at the place where shortening and jelly powders once held sway, one feels we can more than satisfy our needs. Indeed, there is a sense of adventure in going round and seeing what one CAN get and discovering something new to try.

But the real adventure, with a touch of danger to give it added zest, comes when someone remarks, "Well, we'd better make a move homeward". We usually leave just as a lot of people are coming, which adds to the generally chaotic effect.

I can see a stern look settle round the head of the family's mouth as he prepares to launch out into the melee—the seething vortex—which is Newmarket's Main St. on Saturday night. I sit tight and grasp my purse with a "well, here's hoping" feeling as we wiggle and twist to disentangle our car from those before and behind.

Then just as we get our nose out, along comes a huge truck and like a snail withdrawing into its shell, we try to crowd back and then make another attempt. This time all the people on the other side of the street seem to have been filled with a simultaneous desire to cross directly in front of our car.

"At last," I sigh as we move out into the narrow lane, only to find a truck parked right in the road while its driver has departed for an unknown destination and cars behind us begin to honk and unless we want to commit hari kari, we just sit there and take it till the truck driver feels inclined to proceed.

Then you come to a real impasse, cars are parked double and a car is advancing toward you. Drivers from both directions sit and glare and until cars are fitted with telephones there will always be a pause while each waits for the other to DO something. Finally one does and if its the right thing well and good, if not—who knows? At last the navigation perils are over and we turn on to a quiet country road. How quiet, how peaceful and how SAFE we never realized before.

"Well, that's over," says friend husband and we begin to talk again, for we do NOT talk going up Main St., except for certain dark mutterings on drivers in general and some in particular from the man at the wheel.

Perhaps if Main St. were wider we'd miss the rather terrifying sense of adventure which Saturday night holds, but I think we would all be saved from a few added wrinkles and grey hairs if we knew we could go quietly along without having to be a contortionist, a good snake imitator and a robot as far as nerves are concerned. What do you think?

W.C.T.U. NEWS

ALCOHOL AND HEALTH

By LEONORA STARR
Newmarket W.C.T.U. Press Sec.

Very impressive are the facts furnished by the insurance societies as to the effects of liquor in shortening life. Records show that with a normal death rate of 100 the daily use of four to six glasses of beer caused the rate to rise to 186. The chief medical director of one great company says: "There seems to be no limit within which alcohol may be entirely harmless". Moreover, while the body may take a limited quantity of dangerous substances and completely recover, it is little likely to do so with regard to alcohol, because it is a habit-forming drug. Very few take it "only once".

But, says a liquor propagandist, is it not a fact that men have drunk liquor all through the ages and yet the race has survived? Well, man has survived. He has survived in spite of wars and pestilences, black death and cholera and venereal disease, unhygenic habitations, unsanitary food and swarms of flies buzzing over every family meal. He has survived; but with small credit to the pestilence, the filth, the flies and the booze.

But do we very often hear of people dying of alcoholism? No. "Physicians," says Dr. Lawrence Kolb, assistant surgeon-general of the U.S. Public Health Service, "whenever possible report some other cause for death than alcoholism." Yet New York's mental health figures for 1939, for example, show that alcohol psychosis was the leading cause of insanity and the causes that follow on the list are closely associated with alcohol. Of 77,421 emergency hospital admissions in San Francisco in 1942, 14,626 were drunk on arrival.

What then are our findings? 1. Alcohol is not a food. 2. It is not even a true stimulant. 3. It is a depressant. 4. It is a poison hurtful to all the functionings of the body. 5. It is a narcotic detrimental to the delicate network of the nervous system and suspending the finer functionings of the brain.

The result is seen in accidents and foolish or unseemly conduct. To this might be added that a lessening of mental alertness and control of muscles results even from quantities of alcohol insufficient to cause drunkenness. This renders skilled movements defective or impossible—in mechanical skill, business efficiency or athletic efforts.

In truth, "Wine is a mocker, strong drink is raging. And he that is deceived thereby is not wise". The most terrible foes of our national health are alcohol, tuberculosis, venereal disease, cancer and heart troubles, these five; and the greatest of these is alcohol.

CONDUCTS SERVICES AT QUEENSVILLE



REV. JOHN HUNTER
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Rev. John Hunter, well known Scotch Evangelist, is conducting a series of Evangelistic meetings in Queensville Baptist church, Aug. 7 to Aug. 19 inclusive.

MAPLE HILL

The Mount Albert-Maple Hill gospel tent campaign in Mr. Longford Pegg's park came to a conclusion last Sunday night. There was great interest throughout with good preaching and outstanding musical talent.

The King's Radio Quintet was greatly enjoyed by the almost 500 people who attended the meeting on Sunday night. There were some professions of faith and many testified to help received during the meetings. It is planned to hold another tent campaign in the same park next year.

Next Sunday the services in Maple Hill church will be at the usual times, Sunday-school at 10 a.m. with the preaching service following at 11. A group of young people from Toronto will be in charge of the service in Mr. Kerr's absence.

Mr. Dennis Hockaday, Toronto, is spending this week with Mr. Fred Knights.

LAC and Mrs. Don Marrit and family, Mont Joli, Que., were calling on relatives and friends one day last week.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kerr last week were Mr. Kerr's parents from Stirling, Ont., Mr. and Mrs. Mottershead, Toronto, and Miss Harding, Hamilton.

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HOPE

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Mount took a trip to Stratford over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barker, Grace and Janeen visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haines at Sutton West on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mount, Carolyn and Raymond, Stratford, were calling on relatives and friends last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boyd and family, Orillia, were weekend visitors of Mr. Stanley Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mathews, Elmhurst Beach, visited the Barker's on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Jackson and daughter of Flint, Mich., are visiting the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilmot, Lindenlea Farm.

Threshing is the order of the day on the fourth line.

GLENVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Saunders and family have returned to Toronto after holidaying a couple of weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gould.

Miss Elsie Sharpe, Toronto, is spending her holidays with her father, Mr. Roy Sharpe, and her sisters, Misses Clarice and Hazel Sharpe.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Boden and Mrs. Clarke and son, Robert, Toronto, were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gould.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bunn, Newmarket, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gould, Glenville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Patton, Pottageville.

Miss Barbara Gould is spending some holidays with her relatives in Toronto.

Mrs. M. Small and her daughter, Mrs. Sidney Walsh, and Mr. Walsh, Toronto, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Webster at their cottage at Glenville.

Mr. Charles Little, Toronto, spent the weekend with his daughter, Mrs. Don Webster, at their cottage at Glenville.

HOLLAND LANDING

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tomes and family of Hamilton spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Tomes.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Thompson left on Friday for Alberta where they will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Birch and son, Gordon, Toronto, spent the holiday weekend with Mrs. E. Dutton and her father, Mr. Summers.

Miss Connie Cook, Toronto, spent her vacation at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McCallum attended the funeral of Mr. Peter McCulloch in Hamilton on Saturday, Aug. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Smith and family, Windsor, are visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Bell and Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith.

EPILOGUE TO A MURDER



Dan Duryea is able to blackmail Joan Bennett and her unknown companion when he learns of their part in the murder of his celebrated boss in the picture, Woman In The Window, which plays at the Strand theatre, Newmarket, on Monday and Tuesday. As the other innocent victim in this plot, Edward G. Robinson finds himself forced into a second murder which will certainly betray him to the police.

WILLOW BEACH

Mrs. N. Martin, Toronto, spent a few days with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Martin.

Miss Audrey Powell was home for the holiday weekend.

Flt.-Lieut. Jack Harlton, Moncton, N.B., flew to Malton airport on Saturday and spent the weekend with his mother and relatives at Willow Beach.

On Friday evening a number of friends and relatives spent a pleasant evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Martin. It was Mr. Martin's 79th birthday.

QUEENSVILLE

Mrs. W. Adams and children spent last week with Mrs. Clarkson.

Miss Lizzie Turner, Toronto, is visiting Mrs. W. Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Cowieson, Toronto, are spending this week with Mrs. J. T. Cowieson.

Cfn. Jack Fierheller arrived home from overseas on the Ile de France on Sunday.

Lorne Smith, R.C.A.F., is visiting his parents.

Mrs. Gordon Rowe spent a few days last week with Mrs. F. Rowe.

The Era and Express office will be open Saturday evenings from 7.30 to 9.30, and not Saturday afternoons, for the summer months.

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PINE ORCHARD

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Mr. Harold Garrett, Newmarket, was guest speaker at Union church service on Sunday morning.

Mrs. Norman Woon and Donnie, Sharon, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. McClure on Sunday.

Beth Johnston visited her grandmother, Mrs. Minnie Wilson, in Newmarket last week.

Mrs. George Wood is in Toronto with relatives.

Mrs. John Reid, Toronto, was a guest of Mrs. William Reid over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McClure spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rye, Keswick.

Cfn. Walter Flintoff, recently returned from overseas, attended Union church on Sunday.

June Brillinger is in York County hospital.

A petition has been signed by residents and forwarded to a bus company for bus service between Toronto and Mount Albert via the fourth concession of Whitchurch, Pine Orchard road and the eighth.

Mr. W. Grindall, Mr. and Mrs. B. Grindall and family of Toronto are spending two weeks' holidays at the Grindall home.

The Civic Improvement committee of the W.I. are responsible for erecting the Pine Orchard sign post at the four corners.

Farmers are busy cutting a good crop of fall wheat. The threshing machine is at work again.

Chas. Brandon, Jr., has sold his trucking business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Collins, Newmarket, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Armitage.

OPEN SATURDAY NIGHT

The Era and Express office is open Saturday nights during the summer months from 7.30 to 9.30.

LOCAL MARKET

On the local market on Saturday morning, butter brought 40 cents a pound. Eggs were 35 cents a dozen for small, 37 cents for medium and 40 cents a dozen for large.

Raspberries sold at 20 cents a pint box, new potatoes 40 and 45 cents a basket, green apples 50 cents a basket, loganberries 25 cents a quart, carrots 10 cents a bunch, beets 5 cents a bunch and onions 10 cents a bunch. Cabbage brought 10 cents each. Beans were 25 cents a pound.

Grape and apple jam was 25 cents a jar and raspberry 30 cents a jar.

Flowers sold at 15 cents a bunch.

TORONTO MARKETS

On the Toronto markets on Tuesday, butter, creamery solids, No. 1 brought 34 to 34¼ cents a pound and creamery prints, first grade, were quoted to retail No. 1, were quoted to retail trade at 36 cents a pound.

Country dealers were quoted on graded eggs, cases free, delivered to Toronto, for grade A large, 45 cents a dozen, A medium, 43½ cents and A pullets, 36 to 37 cents a dozen.

Spring broilers, over 1¾ pounds, were 31 cents a pound; spring chickens, over 2½ pounds, 32 cents a pound.

Weighty steers were $12 to $13, butcher steers and heifers $10 to $12, with a few at $12.25, fed yearlings $12.50 to $14, butcher cows $8 to $8.75 with a few at $10, canners and cutters $5 to $7.50, bulls $8 to $9.75, stockers $8 to $10.50. Calves were $13.50 to $14.50 for choice, common vealers downward to $8, grassers $7 to $7.75.

Lambs were $15.50 for good ewes and wethers and $14.50 for bucks. Sheep were $3 to $7.

Hogs were, dressed, grade A $20, grade B1, $19, sows, $15.50.

SCOTT TOWNSHIP

TOWNSHIP TAX RATE STRUCK BY COUNCIL

At the August meeting of the Scott township council, held at the township hall on the evening of Aug. 3, all members were present. Communications were read from department of municipal affairs regarding family allowances and relief; from T. Kydd, a report of sheep killed by dogs; from Automotive Products Co., offering steel concrete wheelbarrows; from the Navy League, advising their work for seamen will continue to be extensive; from assistant supervisor of municipal affairs regarding the township operating deficit for 1944.

H. J. Pearson reported that he had spent another six days on county assessing work.

Miller-Profit, that resignation of Wm. Cook as auditor be accepted.

The reeve was instructed to employ council and file defence in case action is taken against the township.

A by-law levying taxes for the year 1945 was passed setting rates as follows on the $100: for county purposes, $1.30; township school grants, 52 cents; township general purposes after deducting provincial subsidy, 42 cents; school sections: No. 1, 12 cents; No. 2, 35 cents; No. 3, 23 cents; No. 4, 28 cents; No. 5, 40 cents; No. 7, 53 cents; No. 8, none; No. 9, 39 cents; Reach union, 19 cents; Brown Hill union, 14 cents; Union No. 4, 34 cents; Udora, 49 cents.

Accounts passed: Pay roll No. 8, labor on roads, $302.65; C. Rolling, truck, $336; Wm. Hackner, truck, $306; N. Gibson, tractor, $249; N. Thompson, tractor, $315; Card's Garage, tire and repairs, $89.89; J. G. Watson, shafting, 75 cents; Ross Johnson, salary, $83.30; Stead's Store, gasoline and oils, $112.07; Fred Leask, bonus on wire fence, $16.80; Wm. Hamilton, 2,156 yds. gravel, $215.60; Ross Thompson, lamb killed by dogs, $10; Thomas Kydd, one sheep valuation, $2; H. J. Pearson, six days county assessment, $30; H. J. Pearson, one day attending court of revision, $3; Dr. Wilson, salary M.O.H., three months; $43.75; Hydro-Electric Com., lighting township hall, $4.05.

PLEASANTVILLE

On Saturday morning, Aug. 4, the community sadly learned of the sudden passing, the previous night, of an old and life-long resident, Mrs. M. F. Starr. Mrs. Starr was in her 88th year. The funeral service was from her home and interment in Pine Orchard cemetery on Monday afternoon.

Pte. Raymond Needler, Camp Borden, Mrs. Needler and child returned after spending some time with the Needler family.

Mrs. Raymond Stanley, Rochester, N.Y., who came on Sunday to attend her grandmother's funeral, returned home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pollard and Maurice, Norwich, spent the weekend at Elmer Starr's home.

Miss Dora McClure attended the Berry-Gillard wedding on Saturday afternoon in the chapel of St. Paul's Anglican church, Newmarket.

Mrs. Bert Hawtin, Beaverton, and Mrs. Tom Cleaver, Simcoe, are spending a few days with their sister, Mrs. E. Hawtin.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hunt visited with friends at Keswick on Sunday.

Mrs. Clarence Fisher and little Marlene spent a few holidays with Mrs. Mabel Fisher at Jackson's Point.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Harper attended the funeral of a cousin, Mrs. Minnie Soules, in Toronto on Aug. 4.

Mrs. A. Tucker spent Monday at the homes of Mrs. Wm. Walker and the Stickwood family, at Bogarttown.

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PUZZLE WINNERS CAN SEE ROYAL SCANDAL

Twenty-three of the thirty contestants sending in answers to last week's contest had correct entries. Francis Elphinstone of Best's Drug store picked out the five winners. Mrs. Elias Smart, 1 Tecumseh St., M. Boyd, Mrs. Joe Peat, 57 Eagle St., and Mrs. W. Brice, 83 Andrew St., all of Newmarket, and Mrs. R. Armitage, R. R. 3, Newmarket, will have their choice of seeing Edward G. Robinson and Joan Bennett in The Woman in the Window, and Robert Lowery and Phyllis Brooks in High Powered on Tuesday, Aug. 14, or Ray Milland and Marjorie Reynolds in Ministry of Fear and Donald O'Connor and Peggy Ryan in Patrick the Great on Thursday, Aug. 16.

The correct answers were: chesterfield, conveniences, upholstered, commode, collapsible, decorated, electricity, preferred, competent, housework.

THIS WEEK'S CONTEST

The five winners of this week's contest will receive double passes to the Strand theatre. The programs offered them will be Jennifer Jones, Charles Bickford and William Eythe in The Song of Bernadette on Tuesday, Aug. 21, or Tallulah Bankhead and Charles Coburn in A Royal Scandal and Randolph Scott and Ellen Drew in China Sky on Thursday, Aug. 23.

Only one entry will be accepted from one household or family and the entry must be in the contestant's own handwriting. Entries should be at The Era and Express office by 9.30 a.m.

Contestants are asked to send their entries in on a slip of paper on Tuesday.

two and a half inches by four and a half inches (2½" x 4½").

This week we wrote the ten contest words in pairs. Then we dropped every other letter and scrambled the remaining letters Here they are: **RETLBYEA, REIGRFSIKA, TOTWTOOA, NLUNVLTC, DECUCRTD.**

MOUNT PLEASANT

Aug. 2—Mount Pleasant women met last Monday night to reorganize the Ladies' Aid which is now known as the Mount Pleasant Ladies' Guild. Mrs. Floyd Stiles is president. The guild will meet the first Tuesday of each month at 2.30 p.m. at the church.

Mrs. Robt. Stiles is being visited by her sister from Mount Albert.

Miss Gertrude Stiles is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Yorke.

Masters Roger and Bobbie Davidson, who have spent three weeks with their cousin, George Davidson, returned to Toronto on Wednesday.

Crusader Male Quartet To Appear Here Monday

The Crusader Male Quartet will sing in the Church of the Nazarene on Monday, Aug. 13, at 8 p.m. The quartet includes Robert Clifford, Montreal, first tenor; Paul Andrews, Laurel, Delaware, second tenor; William Summerscales, Hamilton, baritone; and Richard Hawk, Johnson City, N.Y., bass.

These young men are ministerial students at Eastern Nazarene College, Wollaston Park, Quincy, Mass. They will be accompanied by Vice-President E. S. Mann. This service is an annual event at the local church.

NOTICE

As I have disposed of my business, I wish to thank my shippers and customers for the patronage they have given me and trust they will give my successor, Douglas Harrison, the same co-operation. Thank you one and all.

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1 HOUSE FOR SALE

For sale—Eight-roomed brick house on Prospect Ave., Newmarket. All conveniences. New furnace. $3,000. Apply W. L. Bosworth, 2 Huron St. W., or phone 192, Newmarket. tf24

2A HOUSE WANTED

Wanted to rent—Six or seven-roomed house or apartment in Newmarket or vicinity. Apply Mrs. John B. Sprague, Sutton West. *4w28

Wanted to rent or buy—A returned naval man wishes to rent or buy a house in town on terms. Apply Era and Express box 976. *4w27

Wanted to rent—Five or six-roomed house in Newmarket or vicinity. Apply D. R. Carman, St. Andrew's College, Aurora. tf27

3 FARM FOR SALE

For sale—100-acre farm, is excellent pasture land, also good work land, low taxes. Cement block house. Bank barn, 35' by 50'. Can take possession immediately. Con. 5, lot 23, East Gwillimbury. Price $2,100. Phone 8r13, Sutton, or write Robert F. Davidson, Jr., Belhaven. c3w27

For sale—122 acres, good frame house, 2 new barns, good clay loam, 10 acres bush, on the highway, 35 miles from Toronto. One of York county's best farms. Apply Welly Stevens, Sharon. Phone Queensville 1707. Agent for E. A. Boyd and Co., Newmarket. c1w28

For sale—50-acre farm, ideal location on Lake Simcoe highway 2 miles north of Newmarket. Excellent brick house with all conveniences. Running water, 3-piece bath and electric lights. Good bank barn with running water, also silo. All land tillable. Apply Walter Hall, R. R. 1, Newmarket, or phone 704, Queensville. c1w27

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One hundred and sixty acres good farm land on the Base line, 1½ miles from Sutton. Ten-roomed frame house on the property, electricity, good barn 180' by 45', also driving shed, hen house and milk house. Good well with water pumped into farmhouse and milk house. Cistern with water pumped into house and excellent flowing well at back of farm. This is an excellent opportunity for anyone wanting a good income-producing farm. Apply to Bruce Williamson, Sutton West, or Mrs. A. W. Kelley, R. R. 1, Newmarket. c3w27

5 FOR SALE OR RENT

For sale or rent—200 acre farm, brick house, 8 rooms, woodshed attached, large barn, stone stabling, tie 40 head of cattle and 9 horses, pig-pen and other buildings. Apply Charles Doidge, Virginia P.O. *9w25

9 REAL ESTATE WANTED

Wanted to buy—Three to five acres of land in vicinity of Newmarket. Write post office box 440, Newmarket. *1w28

10 APARTMENT FOR RENT

For rent—Furnished apartment, two large rooms, kitchenette and large storeroom, conveniences. Apply 23 Church St., Newmarket. *3w28

For rent—Four-roomed apartment. Newly decorated. Hydro. Five miles from Newmarket. $12 a month. E. A. Boyd and Co., 17 Main St., Newmarket. c1w28

12 ROOMS FOR RENT

For rent—Two furnished rooms. Board if desired. Apply Era and Express box 975. c3w26

For rent—One furnished room. Board optional. 32 Ontario St. West, Newmarket. *1w28

For rent—Three large unfurnished rooms. Apply Era and Express box 981. *1w28

For rent—Will share flat with soldier's wife or other woman willing to care for boy 2 years, mornings. Apply Mrs. June Martin, 15 Botsford St., Newmarket. *2w28

For rent—Bed-sitting room. Phone 642j, Newmarket. *1w28

14 ROOMS WANTED

Wanted to rent—Rooms for light housekeeping by Sept. 1. For one adult. Apply 33 Millard Ave., Newmarket. *1w28

Wanted to rent—Bed sitting-room with light housekeeping privileges or partial board. Write Era and Express box 980. *1w28

Rooms and board wanted—Couple with little girl wants board with at least two rooms or small apartment in Newmarket or Aurora. Mrs. Low, The Chateau, Aurora. Phone Aurora 320. *1w28

17 ARTICLES FOR SALE

For sale—Edison victrola, console model, cost $350. Will sell reasonably. Also large quantity of Edison records, 4 for $1. Apply Best's Drug Store, Newmarket. c1w28

For sale—Two booths, suitable for ice cream parlor or making into breakfast nook. Apply Best's Drug Store, Newmarket. c1w28

For sale—Navy blue pram. Apply 6 Charles St., Newmarket. *1w28

For sale—Dining-room suite, Jacobean oak, ten pieces. Buffet six feet long. $250. Half original cost. E. L. Richardson, 25 Botsford St., Newmarket. *3w28

For sale—Dining-room table and buffet in good condition. Apply 68 Timothy St., W., Newmarket. *e2w27

For sale—Harrison range, reservoir and high closet, as new. Climax range with reservoir and high closet. 16k750 lbs. Renfrew separator, good; 14k600 lbs. Renfrew separator, good; 6h650 lbs. Renfrew separator. Roy Taylor, Zephyr, or phone Mount Albert 2308. *2w27

For sale—Umbrella tent, 8'x8'. 37 Niagara St., Newmarket. c1w28

For sale—Oil stove, 3 rings and oven, good condition; solid oak library table; small walnut cupboard; metal bed and springs; some kitchen chairs; wicker settee. James Parker, Sharon. *1w28

For sale—Three-piece chesterfield suite. Excellent condition. Apply Mrs. R. A. Putnam, Queensville. *2w28

For sale—Man's bicycle, good as new. One new thousand-shot repeater Daisy air rifle. Apply Percy Walker, phone 1408, Mount Albert. *1w28

For sale—Three-burner coal oil stove, new two years ago. Apply 35 Queen St. W., Newmarket. c1w28

For sale—Linoleum, 4' 6" by 6'. Congoleum 9' by 12'. Apply 33 Queen St. W., Newmarket, or phone 502. *1w28

18 ARTICLES WANTED

Wanted to buy—Bird cage with stand in good condition, reasonable. Apply Mrs. C. Smart, 25 Niagara St., Newmarket. *1w27

19A USED CAR WANTED

Wanted to buy—For cash. Good used cars, any make, any model. Phone 777, Newmarket. tf44

22 HELP WANTED

Help wanted—Butcher for local store. Apply National Selective Service office, Newmarket. *1w28

Help wanted—Female. Two domestics. Work to commence Sept. 4. Live in. Apply Miss Davidson, St. Andrew's College, Aurora. tf27

Help wanted—Girls and women for housekeeping duties, 48-hour week, permanent work. Apply in person Housekeeping Dept., Toronto General Hospital (Elizabeth St. entrance). c2w28

Help wanted—Woman to clean in small office. Phone Newmarket 534j. *1w28

Help wanted—Girl or woman for work in good home. Country girl preferred. Help kept steady all year round. Phone 291w, Newmarket. c1w28

23 WORK WANTED

Work wanted—Housework by the day. Enquire 75 Andrew St., Newmarket. *2w27

Work wanted—Middle-aged lady desires position as housekeeper, companion or housekeeper in gentleman's home. Apply box 363, Newmarket. *3w28

24 LOST

Lost—Two-year-old heifer. Red with some white. Marked in left ear. Inform Jesse Lundy, Cedar Valley. *2w27

Lost—Man's chrome-plated Ormena wrist watch, without strap, Monday, July 30. Valued as keepsake. Reward. Finder please return to 33 Gorham St., Newmarket. c1w28

Lost—Hound dog. White, black and tan. Answers to the name of Peter. Last seen at hospital corner. Finder please phone Bert Morrison, 158 Newmarket. c1w28

26 STRAYED

Strayed—Black and white hound. 30 Charles St. Owner may have same on payment of expenses. *1w28

298 POULTRY WANTED

Wanted to buy—All kinds of live poultry. Premium paid above market prices. Will call. Phone Newmarket 657. tf48

31 MISCELLANEOUS

For sale—Concrete products, 4" weeping tile, 8", 12", 18" culvert tile, water troughs, $12. Other articles made to order. Lorne Baker, 87 Eagle St., Newmarket, phone 112j. *4w27

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Orders filled by J. S. Margeson, 10 Kennedy St., Aurora. Phone 324m, Aurora. *2w28

For rent—Hospital beds and wheel chairs. Theaker & Son, Mount Albert, or phone Mount Albert 3503. tf52

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Wanted to buy—Fox feed. Old horses, dead horses, dead cows. We pay for the dead animals if they are fit for our use. Advise immediately as dead stock soon spoils. G. B. Thompson, Holland Landing, phone 51j1, Newmarket. tf49

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Wanted—Dead horses and cattle, for free pick-up. Phone Newmarket 79. We pay phone charges. Gordon Young Ltd., Toronto, phone AD6638. c51w50

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Wanted to buy—Fence rails. Phone Newmarket 202w2. *3w28

32 WOOD FOR SALE

For sale—Mixed slabs, dry. Cut in stove lengths. G. Fairbarn, phone Newmarket 689j. tf12

33 PETS

NOTICE TO DOG OWNERS

Dogs boarded by day, week or month. In ideal surroundings. Clipping expertly done. Prices reasonable. Basil Watson, Valclose Kennels, Gorham St., phone Newmarket 672 c21w11

For sale—Hound pups. Blue Tick and Walker cross, good hunting strain, 7 weeks old, $10 each. Harry Hill, Aurora, R. R. 2. *2w27

SALE REGISTERS

Monday, Aug. 20—Auction sale of farm stock, implements and household furniture, etc., the property of John Gordon, on the premises, lot 32, con. 4, East Gwillimbury (enter from Angling Road). Sale at 1 p.m. Terms cash. John Grant, clerk. F. N. Smith, auctioneer. No reserve as farm has been sold. c1w28

In Memoriam

Chadwick—In loving memory of Pte. Harry Chadwick of Calgary Highlanders, killed on active service overseas Aug. 12, 1944.

That unselfish life—it has not died.

Mother and dad.

Chadwick—In loving memory of Pte. Harry Chadwick, B130042, killed in action south of Caen, France, on Aug. 12, 1944.

When evening shades are falling
And I'm sitting quiet alone,
To my heart there comes a longing,
If he only could come home.
Ever remembered by wife, Norma.

Chadwick—In loving memory of Pte. Harry Chadwick, Calgary Highlanders, killed on active service overseas Aug. 12, 1944.

Through the years he shall ever be remembered.
By brother, Bob, sister-in-law, Rose, and nephew, Bobbie.

Page—In loving memory of Charles George Page who died Aug. 9, 1940.

God knew that he was suffering,
That the hills were hard to climb,
So He closed his weary eyelids
And whispered "Peace be thine".
Ever remembered by wife and family.

Stewart—In loving memory of our dear son and brother, Hugh Stewart, Lincoln and Welland Regt., who was killed in action in France on Aug. 10, 1944.

Somewhere in France, in a soldier's grave,
Lies our dear son, among the brave,
He never shunned his country's call,
But glady gave his life, his all.
He died the helpless to defend,
A faithful soldier's noble end.
Always remembered by mother, father, brothers and sister.

Wright—In loving memory of Lucy Elizabeth Wright, who passed away Aug. 12, 1944.

I have lost my soul's companion,
A life linked with my own;
And day by day I miss her more
As I walk through life alone.
Lovingly remembered by her husband.

West—In loving memory of a dear husband and father, George Henry West, who passed away Aug. 9, 1941.

My lips cannot tell how I miss him,
My heart cannot tell what to say,
God only knows how I miss him
In a home that is lonesome today.
Sadly missed by his wife, Della.

West—Your presence is ever near us,
Your love remains with us yet,
You were the kind of a daddy
Your loved ones could never forget.
Sadly missed by Kathleen and Kenneth.

West—In loving memory of a dear son and brother, George H. West, who passed away suddenly Aug. 9, 1941.

Surrounded by friends we are lonesome,
In the midst of joy we are blue;
With a smile on our face we have a heartache,
Longing, dear George, for you.
Sadly missed by mother and dad, Nellie and Roy.

BIRTHS

Gladman—At Pictou, N.S., on Wednesday, Aug. 1, 1945, to R/A and Mrs. J. G. Gladman, a son.

Good—At York County hospital, on Monday, Aug. 6, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Good, Mount Albert, a daughter.

Graham—At York County hospital, on Monday, Aug. 6, 1945, to Tpr. and Mrs. Clarkson Graham, Newmarket, a son.

Mathewson—At York County hospital, on Wednesday, Aug. 8, 1945, to Sgt. and Mrs. David Mathewson, Newmarket, a daughter.

Meyer—At York County hospital, Wednesday, Aug. 8, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. John A. Meyer, Newmarket, a son.

Stone—At York County hospital, on Wednesday, Aug. 8, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Stone, Richmond Hill, a son.

Shropshire—At Weston Private hospital, Sunday, July 22, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shropshire (nee Verna Crick), Weston, a daughter, Judith Ellen Jane.

DEATHS

Cowan—At Amherst, N.S., on Wednesday, Aug. 8, 1945, Dorothy Cowan, wife of J. R. Cowan and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo White, Keswick.

Resting at her father's residence, Keswick, from Saturday, Aug. 11. Funeral service in Keswick United church on Sunday, Aug. 12, at 2.30 p.m. Interment in Queensville cemetery.

Graham—At his summer home, Snake Island, Lake Simcoe, on Friday, Aug. 3, 1945, James Marshall Graham, Sutton, husband of Gertrude Hudgson, father of Audrey (Mrs. Graham), Violet and Hazel (Mrs. Sturdy), all of Toronto.

The funeral service was held in Sutton on Monday afternoon. Interment Briar Hill cemetery, Sutton.

Starr—At Pine Orchard, near Newmarket, on Friday, Aug. 3, 1945, Harriet Frances Stephens, wife of the late Mordecai F. Starr, in her 88th year.

The funeral sevice was held on Monday afternoon at her late residence, lot 27, con. 3, Whitchurch. Interment Pine Orchard cemetery.

Wood—At York County hospital, on Sunday, Aug. 5, 1945, James A. Wood, Bradford, husband of Emma Wayling and father of Winnifred and Mrs. Ford (Beth), in his 88th year.

The funeral service was held at Trinity Anglican church, Bradford, on Tuesday afternoon. Interment St. Paul's cemetery, Coulson Hills.

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Social and Personals will be found on page 8.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Mrs. Dave Lyon and David were in Orangeville on Monday afternoon attending the funeral of Mrs. Lyon's mother, Mrs. Matthew Smith.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. William Davidson of Aurora wish to thank their friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy during their recent sad bereavement. Special thanks to Rev. Canon F. J. Fife and Chief Constable Fisher Dunham.

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CYRIL GIBBONS WEDS IN TORONTO

A quiet wedding took place on Saturday, July 28, in Toronto when Miss Mary Koronyl, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Koronyl, Toronto, became the bride of LAC Cyril Gibbons, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Gibbons, Newmarket. Rev. B. E. Dawson, Toronto, officiated.

Miss Velma Thorpe, Toronto, was bridesmaid and Mr. Stanley Gibbons, Toronto, was groomsman for his brother.

The bride was dressed in a white, two-piece suit, shoulder-length veil and accessories to match. The bridesmaid's suit was dusty rose with white accessories. Both wore corsages.

A reception was held after the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents. After the reception the couple motored to Muskoka where they spent their honeymoon.

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"THE NEW MAN"
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"For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish but have everlasting life." John 3: 16.
REV. L. JAMES LAKE
Pastor
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Come let us give thanks unto God together
We extend a hearty invitation to all including visitors and members of His Majesty's forces.
Open-air meeting Saturday night

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
REV. ALEX'DR. B. STEIN
Pastor
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Organist
JOINT SERVICE WITH THE UNITED CHURCH CONGREGATION 11 A.M. AND 7 P.M.
A welcome is extended to members of Trinity United church
Saturday night, 8.30—Open air services at Main and Botsford Sts., under the auspices of the Ministerial Association.
Sunday night, 8.15—Open air services on the church lawn.

BOYS' AND GIRLS' DAILY VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
Mon., Aug. 13, to Fri., Aug. 24
Fun, Games, Bible Study, Hand Work, Carpentry and Picnics to be held in the
TOWN HALL
Under auspices of the Church of the Nazarene

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST
Established A.D. 30
Come and hear C. G. McPee at Pine Orchard Thursday evenings at 8.30 p.m.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Water and Eagle Sts.
Minister: W. I. McELWAIN
10 a.m.—Sunday-school
11 a.m.—Divine worship conducted by Rev. C. H. Lowry, Toronto.
Mr. C. Baker at the organ.
No service at 7 p.m.

NEWMARKET PENTECOSTAL TABERNACLE
In affiliation with the Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada
Pastor: REV. C. M. BELLSMITH
Sunday, Aug. 12
11 a.m.—Worship
3 p.m.—Sunday-school
7 p.m.—Evangelistic service
Special preacher
Rev. F. M. Bellsmith
Bible teacher of Toronto
Wed., 8 p.m.—Bible study
Fri., 7 p.m.—Children's service
Fri., 8 p.m.—Prayer meeting
"If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness." 1 John 1: 9.

THE SALVATION ARMY
14 Queen St. West
Captain and Mrs. Arthur Robinson
August 12
11 a.m.—Holiness
3 p.m.—Sunday-school
7 p.m.—Salvation
Saturday, 8.30—Street meeting Main and Botsford Sts.

TRINITY UNITED CHURCH
REV. HENRY COTTON, MINISTER
ROBERT B. WATSON, L.R.C.M., ORGANIST
AUGUST SERVICES WILL BE HELD IN THE CONGREGATIONAL-CHRISTIAN CHURCH

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
COMING TO NEWMARKET
CRUSADER MALE QUARTET
of Eastern Nazarene College, Quincy, Mass., U.S.A.



MONDAY, AUGUST 13
8 P.M.
THE QUARTET WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY
PROF. E. S. MANN
Vice-president of the college, who will be the special speaker
DON'T FAIL TO HEAR THEM
HURRAH! BOYS AND GIRLS
NEWMARKET TOWN HALL
WILL BE THE SCENE OF LOTS OF EXCITEMENT
ON MONDAY, AUGUST 13
The bell will ring at 9 in the morning for
DAILY VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
Be on time - Lots of Games - Fun - Stories - Singing
Hand Work - Carpentry - Picnic - And Treat
What Time? 9 a.m. - When? Monday, Aug. 13
Where? Newmarket Town Hall
SUNDAY SERVICES AUG. 12
10 a.m. — Sunday-school
11 a.m. — Rev. Miss Ethel Clark, Speaker
7 p.m. — "THE LAST JUDGMENT"
STREET MEETING SATURDAY NIGHT
8.30 — BOTSFORD AND MAIN STS.

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Spr. John A. Davidson Dies In Army Hospital

Spr. John Alexander "Jack" Davidson, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Davidson, Wellington St., died Aug. 3 at Christie St. hospital in Toronto. Spr. Davidson enlisted in the reserve army with the Irish Regiment at the age of 14, and was a member of that unit's pipe band. He had been on active service for over two years and was with R.C.E. M.E. at Aldershot, N.S., looking forward to going overseas, when he injured his spine in a fall on the ice just before last Christmas. In training some weeks later he had a further fall in the gymnasium at Halifax, N.S., and was transferred to hospital for treatment at that centre. As his condition did not improve he was moved to Toronto, and after a trying illness of some months, died at Christie St. hospital on Friday.

He was born at Oakville, and moved to Aurora with his family seven years ago. He attended public and high school here, and was later employed with the Sisman Shoe Co. He played hockey for both the public and high schools and was interested in skiing, swimming and skating. He was a member of Aurora Boys' band, Aurora Victory Chorus, and Aurora United church choir.

The funeral service was held from the family residence on Sunday with full military honors. Rev. Canon F. J. Fife was in charge of the service, and a detachment from Newmarket camp under C.S.M. Johnston stood guard prior to the service. A detachment from No. 2 district depot under the command of Sgt. J. Knowles provided the pallbearers and a cortege for the funeral. At the cemetery, the firing party fired three volleys and Bugler C. Dickens sounded Last Post and Reveille.

The deceased lad is survived by his parents, one brother, Philip, and a sister, Jane.

WITH THE FORCES

Bandsman Fred Rowe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rowe, Gurnett St., has been posted to H.M.C.S. Tecumseh at Calgary, Alta., and has returned to duty after spending leave with his parents and with his sister, Miss Edith Rowe, at Toledo, Ohio.

LAW Millie Umehara, R.C.A.F., Hagersville, is on furlough with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Umehara.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haley, Toronto, spent last Thursday with Mrs. Dan Cameron.

Flt.-Lieut. Bruce Cowieson, a graduate of Aurora high school, is spending a 30-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cowieson, Toronto, after serving one and a half years overseas.

Pte. Douglas Tunney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Tunney, has been transferred from Simcoe Camp to Aldershot, N.S.

Flt.-Sgt. Bob Watson, who is now stationed at St. John, Que., spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. John Watson.

PO Elmer Yake, R.C.N.V.R., is home on leave after an extensive tour of duty on the high seas.

Cpl. Don Barraclough, son of County Police Sergeant Sydney Barraclough of Richmond Hill, returned home from overseas recently after over three years overseas.

Cpl. Douglas Egan, R.C.A.F., who has been transferred from Newfoundland to Deseronto, Ont., spent the weekend at his home.

Pte. David Ferguson has recently been transferred from Camp Borden to the Aurora R.C.O.C. depot, and is on furlough at Edmonton, Alta.

Pte. John Monk, former Aurora boy and nephew of Lieut.-Col. C. R. Boulding, has been posted to duty at Aldershot, N.S.

Pte. Lawrence Foster, Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Cpl. Lloyd Preston, R.C.A.F., spent the weekend with Mrs. Albert Preston.

Wren Hazel Sherman, R.C.N.V.R., Ottawa, spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sherman, last week.

Pte. Donald Sutton, recently returned from overseas, has been honorably discharged from the service and has resumed employment with Collis Leather Ltd.

Pte. Howard Stoett, former Aurora resident, has been transferred from Kingston to Vancouver, B.C.

Sailors at Eaton Hall convalescent home entertained a large number of Aurora young people at a dance last Saturday evening.

Pte. William Hadfield, who returned from overseas a few months ago, has received his honorable discharge and has been appointed caretaker of Aurora public school, succeeding Charles Boynton who has retired.

Pte. Charles Seath, Farnham, Que., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John Seath.

Cpl. Floyd Preston has returned to Dartmouth, N.S., after spending a 12-day leave with his wife and family at "Arabin Cottage," Lake Simcoe.

Pte. Robert Walker, King, has been transferred from Newmarket camp to Aldershot, N.S.

TOWN TO GIVE SCROLL, RING TO SERVICEMEN

Reeve C. E. Sparks, Deputy-Reeve Asa Cook and Councillor William West, along with Mayor Ross Linton, will form the committee to honor Aurora's active service men and women and plan future celebrations. The committee starts work at once and expects to reach early decisions.

"There is no time to lose, we should have the thing well planned as quickly as possible," said Mayor Linton. "It is going to be a difficult job deciding on what we are to present them with, who are entitled and how much we will spend, but we musn't lag behind."

After a discussion by members presentation of a signet ring and an address of welcome was approved, if financially practicable. Councillor West and Reeve Sparks will obtain the prices and sample specimens while Deputy-Reeve Cook will compile the list of names. The Red Cross, Navy League, Board of Trade and Aurora churches will be requested to aid Mr. Cook in straightening out the lists. The general feeling was that the municipality should bear the entire expense of any presentations or banquet.

"In that way all will have an equal part. To ask for contributions only means touching the same people who always subscribe," said Deputy-Reeve Cook.

"We all owe our boys plenty and I am sure no one will begrudge what we spend," said Councillor West.

"I would like to see all who volunteered for active service honored in some way," said Councillor Rod Smith. "It is nobody's fault if they didn't go overseas, they all volunteered to serve any place."

"The committee will have to rule on what's to be done. Let's get the list ready and the prices as soon as we can, as well as getting public opinion," said the mayor.

JUVENILES HAND 3-2 DEFEAT TO MILLIKEN

Aurora juveniles took the measure of Milliken in the final game of the regular Lions league schedule at Aurora on Monday night, thereby sending Newmarket to the top. The score was 3-2 over the six-inning route. Aurora took a 2-0 lead through Row's wildness, only to have the visitors eke out the necessary tieing runs. In the sixth, Milliken got two men on, and came within an ace of tieing the score, but Doolittle turned a dropped third strike into an out at third and Henry fanned the last batter.

Aurora opened the sixth with a double by Doolittle, and Ronnie Simmons singled home the winning run. Darkness prevented the seventh inning being played. Frank Weyms did a fine job as plate umpire.

Aurora: Doolittle c, Henry p, McGhee 1b, Simmons 3b, N. Nigh ss, Kyle 3b, Smith lf, Mundell cf, Cook rf.

Milliken: Grant ss, Procenko 2b, Rows p, Jewitt c, Shpelman lf, Wilson 1b, Timbers 2b, Gough cf, Sellars rf.

TRAINS IN U.S.A.

First Aurora boy to reach the United States as a member of the Armored Corps instructional cadre for the Sixth Canadian Division (Pacific Force) is Sgt. James Murray. Sgt. Murray left Barriefield this week, arriving at Fort Knox, Kentucky. After special training there he, along with other Canadian instructors, will proceed to camp Brackenbridge, Ky., to meet the main Canadian force. Sgt. Aubrey Ransom of Newmarket is another North York boy at Fort Knox.

R.C.O.C. TRIMS NAVY

Aurora ordnance softballers took a 16-3 win over navy at Eaton Hall Farm last week in the fourth game of their series. The Aurora soldiers had their war clubs out and outhit the sailors in every inning. R.C.O.C. now leads the series by one game.

SHIPYARDS TO CLOSE

Announcement has been made that the Toronto Shipbuilding Yards of which John Bowser of Aurora is superintendent will close in October upon the completion of the Algerine corvettes under construction. Mr. Bowser became superintendent two years ago this fall, and under his direction the plant has set up a fine record for production.

ERECT WELCOME SIGNS

Aurora Lions club has erected two "Welcome" signs bearing the Lions crest at the entrances to town. The signs are attractive and the club is to be commended for erecting them.

Council Agrees To Use Of Town Hall By Public School

Aurora town council, on motion from Reeve C. E. Sparks and Deputy-Reeve Asa Cook, approved the use by Aurora public school board of the present quarters of the Aurora Public Library and the R.C.O.C. recreation room in the upper part of the old town hall as classrooms this fall, at the council meeting Tuesday. The property committee was instructed to secure quotations on plumbing and heating and to negotiate rental terms with the public school board. The council will now confer with Aurora public library officials as to the most suitable site for the library, but it seems almost assured that the library will occupy Health Hall owned by the public school board, and occupied by the Aurora Gospel church.

Donald Galbraith, deacon of the Gospel church, appeared at the meeting to request the aid of council in maintaining Health Hall as the site of the church.

"The building was built for a church, and we believe it should be maintained as a house of God," stated Mr. Galbraith. "We wish to remain where we are, our congregation is now between 55 and 60, and will be around 75 to 80 shortly. There must be other places where the library could be housed, but there is no other place suitable for a church. We are definitely doing a type of work no other church in town is doing, and we ask council's co-operation."

"We sympathize with your position, but we do not own Health Hall. It is the property of the school board," said Mayor Ross Linton.

"Yes, but you will be interested in finding a place for the library, if they have to move from where they are," said Mr. Galbraith.

Dr. C. J. Devins, chairman of the public school board addressed council, requesting the use of the upper part of the town hall as previously discussed.

"It is interesting to note that 25 years ago Health Hall was put up for sale by the Disciples church, and even then it was being considered as a suitable library site. The church people made a shrewd bargain. They played a bid by the library board, neither one knowing the other was bidding, the school board buying the property for $3,000," said Dr. Devins.

"The building was bought to hold the corner and expropriate more land later for a new school. At that time it seemed urgent for a new school but a few years later we didn't need one, but the situation now is as it has been for some years. We do need a new school. Trinity Hall was not satisfactory as a classroom site last year. Mechanics' Hall is not practicable, and it would be too costly to renovate Health Hall. The board saw the old town hall, and are satisfied with the classroom facilities available. I want to congratulate council on the way they have improved the building. It looks like a two-year proposition for school rooms in the building, before we would have things arranged. We have building under consideration. If we don't get the space in the town hall, we will use Health Hall but we must know now."

"There is a popular feeling for the library at Health Hall. It is central, close to the school, and old people do not have to climb steps. It will fit in with future plans of the board. Arrangements made for the use of the building as a church were always considered as temporary by the board. We originally rented it to Faith Baptist church as a means of accommodating them until they could build as they intended to. If we don't get the town hall we'll have to spend money we don't want to spend now."

Councillor Fisher expressed sympathy with the Gospel church's position, and asked if any other sites were available for the library. Mr. Galbraith suggested several possible places, all upstairs.

"I am certain the library board will not wish to move unless they can get a downstair location. They can build if they have to, but it will cost the town plenty," said Dr. Devins.

"Lots of people have spoken to me in favor of a ground site for the library," said Mayor Linton.

"While I sympathize with Mr. Galbraith and the church, sooner or later they will have to move from the building," said Dr. Devins.

"I am sure the library board expects to go to Health Hall if we ask them to move from the town hall," said Councillor R. V. Smith. "They would be here tonight if they thought otherwise."

"Co-operation all round is best. We will deal with the matter tonight and try and help Mr. Galbraith find some place," said Mayor Linton.

After the withdrawal of Mr. Galbraith and Dr. Devins the council discussed several possibilities where the church might be located, but most of these had been considered unsuitable by Mr. Galbraith. The council will now meet with the library board to consider the transfer of library quarters.

Exhibition Game Swells Lions Club Fund By $13.24

Thirteen dollars and twenty-four cents was raised for the Aurora Lions fund by a collection taken at an exhibition clash between Roselawn Dairy of the Wanless Park senior league and a combined R.C.O.C.-navy team last week. The game attracted several hundred people and was well played except for one inning by both teams. The visitors took the decision 10-8.

The Aurora service team had "Joint" McComb on the mound and he pitched as good a game as his rival, Ken Darling, but was given poor support at times. Aurora took a 2-0 lead in the first inning on three walks and hits by O'Gorman and Butler. The visitors crashed for five in the second as the Aurora infield fell apart. A late rally for four runs as Hook replaced Darling just fell short of tieing the game. Crewson and Palmer led the visitors and "Red" Canning sparked Aurora.

Roselawn: McGouran 3b, Crean cf, Hook ss-p, Palmer 1b, Young c, Rennie 2b, Crewson rf, Douglas lf, Darling p.

Aurora: Canning 1b, O'Gorman 3b, Scott 2b, Butler lf, Elias cf, Case c, Spooner ss, McComb p, Sims rf.

PURCHASES LOTS

John Bowser of the Aurora Building Co. has purchased four building lots from the town of Aurora at the corner of George and Tyler Sts. Under the agreement governing the purchase, houses must be erected within one year. It is thought likely the building will commence this fall.

Use the "Articles for Sale" column in the classifieds.

HOME ON LEAVE

Home on three weeks leave is Chief "Sparks" Charlie Egan of the merchant marine after seven months on the high seas. The son of Mrs. Arthur Egan, he has been in the service over three years, and on his most recent trip went as far as India.

CONDUCT SERVICES

Next Sunday, the B.Y.P.U. will be in charge of the services at Aurora Baptist church during the holiday absence of the pastor, Rev. A. R. Park.

BETHEL

FRANK LaCHAPELL IS HOMEWARD BOUND

Frank La Chappell, R.C.A., who has spent five years overseas, is on the way home. He is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Joel La Chappell, Sutton West.

Mrs. A. Selby, who has been ill for some weeks, is progressing favorably.

Mrs. J. H. Crittenden, Baldwin, who had her right hand badly mangled in an electric ringer, has been attending the Baldwin post office despite her handicap.

Miss Ruth Stelbie, Virginia, spent Sunday evening calling on friends around Baldwin.

The Bethel Sunday-school annual picnic will be held at Jackson's Point park on Aug. 16. The children are asked to keep this date in mind and come prepared to spend a pleasant afternoon. Each family is asked to bring a lunch basket.

YORK LIONS PLAY-OFFS TO BEGIN ON FRIDAY

With the York Lions baseball league completed, the play-offs have now been reached and will get under way without delay. In the juvenile series, the first place Milliken club will meet Aurora, which finished third, with the first game carded for Milliken on Friday night and the return game at Aurora either Monday or Tuesday of next week. It will be a best of three series. Newmarket and Richmond Hill meet in the other half of the bracket.

In the bantam series, Richmond Hill will meet Aurora, with Markham and Stouffville leading in another series. Both series will be on a best of three basis.

CHILDREN HELP FUND

Children of Machell Ave. under the direction of Joan Bradbury and Vivian Beech raised $6.50 for The Hospital for Sick Children building fund by means of a "circus" and the sale of refreshments last week. Actual proceeds amounted to $5.50 and Joan added a dollar bill she had received in an essay contest.

MARK DERRY DAY

Aurora Black Knights will celebrate Derry Day at St. Catharines on Saturday.

AURORA PLANS PURCHASE OF BOOSTER PUMP

Following the recommendation of insurance underwriters and an engineer, Aurora council has authorized the purchase of a new water pump for the waterworks property at a cost of $1,082 plus tax, shipping and installation. It will have a pumping capacity of 500 gallons per minute and with present facilities will provide a pumping capacity of 950 gallons per minute. Councillor A. N. Fisher explained that this pump would be used in the summer when the demand was heavy and the 225-gallon pump at the waterworks would work all winter. There is a 225-gallon pump at the Nisbet well. Old pumps and engines not in use will be sold if possible.

"It is too bad we didn't put this one in in the first place," said Reeve Sparks. "We didn't have all the information then," said Mr. Fisher. "We have increased our capacity by 425 gallons per minute since then," said Mr. Cook.

"Our water supply has held up well but there are some complaints at times of low pressure on main street," said Mayor Ross Linton. "This should keep the pressure up."

Early Closing Hours For Gas Stations Held Over

The request for early closing hours on Friday and Saturday and all day Sunday as petitioned for in June by the majority of gas and oil vendors was laid over for a special meeting by the council Tuesday night. Mr. Moore, Aurora service station operator, appeared before council requesting the enactment of a by-law. "My company is in favor of the closing hours and I think it time something was done," he said.

"The question of regulating hardware stores presents a difficulty. They would have to close entirely according to the proposed by-law," said Mayor Ross Linton. "Because they sell gas and oil they would come under it."

"The service station and garage men are not worrying about the hardwares. I think they could close only gas pumps and still stay open," said Mr. Moore.

"We will have to get a ruling from the solicitor on that," said the mayor.

"What about tourists and people passing through town? Are the garages considering them?" asked Deputy-Reeve A. Cook.

"Most cities and towns have closing by-laws already," said Councillor Elwood Davis. "In North Bay, a big tourist centre, the pumps are closed all day Sunday and nobody suffers."

"There are two service stations at least which haven't signed the petition and intend to stay open. There is no use passing a by-law unless it can be enforced. In its present form I don't think this one can," said the mayor.

Councillor William West suggested an early meeting of garage and service station operators and owners, as well as the hardware store proprietors and council agreed on this.

A letter was read from several residents of north Yonge St. complaining of noises emanating from Stewart's garage which keeps open all night for repairs and also of the barking of a dog on the premises. Council decided to bring the matter before Mr. Stewart again before taking further action.

The matter of the stoplight at Yonge and Wellington Sts. was left over because the Department of Highways requested the signing of a "connecting link agreement" before assuming 70 percent of the cost. This would give the province control over the entire street including gas pumps. "It might pay us to put in our stoplight. I think we can get a good share from the county," said Reeve C. E. Sparks. Council will obtain all necessary data before deciding further.

CORRECTION

It was Miss Margaret McClure, not Miss Elizabeth McClure as previously reported, who has accepted a post on the staff of Weston public school after teaching last winter at Blackburn's school, north of Kettleby. Miss McClure will be replaced by George Billings.

INSTALL NEW MOTOR

A new motor has been installed at the Aurora disposal plant at a cost of $413. It was purchased from J. C. Bodfish.

HAVE 59TH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Green, Temperance St., celebrated their 59th wedding anniversary on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Green of Toronto were present for the occasion.

NEWMARKET JUVENILES TRIM AURORA SENIORS

Newmarket juveniles edged out Aurora seniors 10-9 in a scheduled Lions league game at Newmarket Firday night. Both teams are in the play-offs so the win did not effect their relative standing. Newmarket gained an early lead as Aurora committed six errors in one inning, Tommy McHale hitting a timely triple.

Stew. Henry made his debut on the Aurora mound and pitched effectively despite poor support. Ivan Gibson, Newmarket southpaw, pitched good ball for six innings, when he was relieved by Kenny Broughton. Aurora went for six runs in this frame, an out-at-second base following Winger's smart peg retiring the necessary third in the nick of time.

Billy McGhee turned in a fine game for Aurora, as did Bill Mundell. Earl Rose made his first appearance of the season with the locals. Rutledge and Brown looked good for the winners.

SAILOR MARRIES HALIFAX GIRL

A quite wedding took place at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Thomas White, Harrison Ave., on Saturday, Aug. 4, when Miss Evelyn Lorraine Downey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Downey, Halifax, became the bride of Seaman Murray Allen, R.C.N.V.R., son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Allen, Wellington St. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. White.

The bride wore a shell-pink triple sheer afternoon gown, with blue gloves, blue veil and blue flowered headdress. Her flowers were gardenias. Mrs. Irene Broome, Aurora, was matron of honor. She wore a blue crepe frock with pink hat and pink accessories. Her flowers were roses. Joseph Broome was best man.

The couple left on a short wedding trip and the groom, who has served with the Canadian navy for the past three years, has volunteered for service in the Pacific and expects to report for duty soon.

50 CHILDREN REGISTER

Around 50 children registered on the opening day of the church summer vacation school at Trinity parish hall this week, and more are expected. In the absence of L. C. Lee, Alfred Willingham officially opened the school. Robert Moore, director of music in the Aurora schools, has been added to the staff.

MOVE TO PETERBOROUGH

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bunn and family have moved to Peterborough where Mr. Bunn will enter the bakery and delicatessen business.

Many Return Home In Recent Drafts From Great Britain

Aurora and district boys continue to return from overseas, some expecting to be rehabilitated to civilian life, others bound for the Pacific theatre, but all in good health and glad of the sight of the old home town.

First pair of brothers to arrive home are Sprs. John and Ross Griffith, sons of Mrs. Della Griffith, Victoria St. Both boys enlisted with the the Royal Canadian Engineers in 1940, and proceeded overseas after training at Petawawa camp early in 1941. Through training and warfare the two managed to keep together most of the time. John is married, his wife residing at Queensville, while "Buck" is single. They received a warm welcome from relatives and friends. Both boys came home on the same ship as their commander in chief, General Crerar.

After an extensive tour of duty overseas, Flt.-Lieut. John Sisman, D.F.C., the only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sisman of Aurora, arrived home Wednesday. He enlisted in 1941 and after training at Malton, Jarvis and Toronto, did instructional work in Canada before proceeding overseas. He was awarded the D.F.C. a few months ago. He is married and has a small son.

Not known to many Aurorans except by name is Hon. Capt. B. P. Smyth, R.C.A.F., of Metcalfe St. Capt. Smyth, former rector of the Anglican church at Allliston, enlisted in 1942, going overseas the next year, at which time his wife and family moved to Aurora. He has served as chaplain with the airforce in North Ireland, England, and other points overseas.

An Aurora boy whose parents reside in Newmarket now is Pte. Harold "Sandy" Edwards, formerly of Gurnett St. Pte. Edwards enlisted in the artillery in 1940 and went overseas in 1941. He transferred to ordnance and saw service for two years in Sicily and Italy. He touched the western front on his way home. He has volunteered for service in the Pacific.



SGMN. JAMES FARLEY

Sgmn. James Farley, son of Robert Farley, former Aurora resident, arrived in Toronto last week. He enlisted in 1942 with the 48th Highlanders and went overseas the next year. He saw acion in France and was wounded there, but went back to duty again. He is a Pacific volunteer.

FO Keith Southwood, son of Mrs. Charles Southwood, Wells St., arrived home from India last week. A well known Aurora tennis player, FO Southwood enlisted in 1941, going overseas the next year. He went to India early in 1943 and came to Canada from there, being among the first Canadians to arrive at the port of Quebec.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Misses Marie Bull and Mary Brown spent the weekend in Toronto.

Mrs. Eric Goneau, Sudbury, former Aurora resident, has been visiting in town.

Dr. and Mrs. G. A. C. Gunton and family are on two weeks holidays at Sans Souci in the Parry Sound district.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wilson and family have taken up residence in Newmarket.

Peter Monk has accepted a position in Toronto for August.

Mrs. Howard Stoutt and Marilyn of Kingston, former Aurora residents, have left to reside in Vancouver, B.C., where Pte. Stoutt is now stationed.

Misses Audrey McCloskey and Bernice Doolittle spent the holiday weekend in Muskoka.

Rev. and Mrs. Roy Hicks and family have returned home after a month's holidays at Camlachie and Corruna. Mr. Hicks will preach next Sunday morning at Aurora United church.

Kenneth Lonergan, Barrie, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bunn.

Miss Lois Farren, Snowball, has returned home after visiting her aunt, Mrs. Grant McCachen.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dawson, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. H. Dawson.

Mrs. George Duffield is on holidays at Ottawa, Montreal and Quebec city.

Miss Lorraine Gunton, nurse-in-training, Women's College hospital, Toronto, spent the weekend with her sister, Miss Peggy Gunton.

Mrs. W. Somerville, Newmarket, spent a couple of days last week with her sister, Mrs. Dan Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sleeth and Mrs. Frank Coulson spent the holiday weekend at Brantford.

Master Harold Morris, Toronto, is spending his vacation with his aunt, Mrs. Dan Cameron.

MOVE TO SIMCOE

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Faulkner and family moved to Simcoe this week where Mr. Faulkner will teach school this year.

STOUFFVILLE DEFEATED

Aurora juniors defeated Stouffville bantams 11-1 in the final bantam game of the schedule at Stouffville on Tuesday evening. Gerry Simmons took the mound for Aurora and pitched his initial win of the season, striking out eight of the opposition.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Cole spent the holiday weekend with friends at Leskard, Ont.

Miss Kathleen Mosley, Toronto, spent the holiday weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Mosley.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Closs and family spent the holiday weekend at Hamilton.

Miss Ruth DeLaHaye spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy DeLaHaye.

Among those from Aurora who attended the Canadian open golf championship at the Thornhill Golf and Country club were Dr. Jas. Urquhart, Hugh McRae, Harold Milgate, Walter Milgate, Bill Devins, Dr. C. J. Devins, Sgt. and Mrs. Ab. Hulse, Flt.-Sgt. Charles Lawson, Allan Jones, Lorne C. Lee, Frank Lacey, Eric Bilborough, OS Kenyon Davies, Dr. G. W. Williams, William West.

Misses Vanetta Maaten and Christine Stephens spent the weekend at Parry Sound as the guests of Miss Doris Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bowman, Mary and Barbara, are on holidays in Haliburton.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hamer and family of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hamer.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Rank and Ralph are on holidays at Waubaushene.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Duff and family are on holidays at Stirling, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Giles are holidaying at Cozy Cove, Lake Simcoe.

Dudley Wilcox, Montreal, is visiting his mother, Mrs. J. D. Wilcox.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Caulfield, Mrs. Herbert Baycroft and Miss Helen Baycroft motored to Huntsville and Midland over the holidays.

Dr. and Mrs. Crawford Rose and family spent the weekend at their cottage, Buffalo Lodge, Lake Simcoe.

Miss Nellie Peterson spent the holiday weekend visiting friends in Ottawa.

Miss Florence Dunham spent the weekend at Brookwood, Ont.

Mr. George Jiggins spent the holiday with his parents at Acton, Ont.

Mrs. William Morris and family returned home this week after spending some weeks at Moosefield.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Mingay and family have taken up residence in Newmarket.

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DOWN THE CENTRE

Lord Byron Nelson, with nonchalance and a display of steady, if not too spectacular golf, captured the Canadian open as expected. Nelson had the disadvantage of large galleries for the entire three days but he showed good sportsmanship and geniality throughout and modesty too—all attributes of a great champion in addition to mechanical ability. His easy style belied the real class he possessed.

We were wrong about the total score by ten strokes, but we had no idea the greens would be so heavy and there would be so few one-putt greens. The high wind on Friday played havoc too, with the long ball hitters and no one could forsee the difficulty that arose on some of the par three holes.

Sam Snead, whom we followed on Friday, was away off form but in better humor than in any other tournament. Being in the navy has done Sam a world of good. He is a human being now instead of a cocky, superman type. Too bad the great Jug McSpaden, always a favorite with Canadians, had to spoil his record by squawking unmercifully. **Gordy DeLaat**, ex-Aurora R.C.O.C. hockey star, was playing fine golf when we saw him but he is in the throes of changing his style and his play is suffering a bit.

Saw a host of well-known faces including Dr. Hal Learoyd, Herm Gilroy, Wes McKnight, Ralph Webb, former professional at the Aurora Golf club, Bobby Hewitson, Harry Lambert, Charlie Ryan, Hugh McRae and Gord Sinclair and enjoyed brief chit-chats with most.

Fred Haas, the New Orleans amateur, caught our fancy with his fine play and we also liked diminutive Tony Penna who wore a red beret, dark blue shirt and grey blue trousers, for his humor and skill. **Bob Gray**, according to the oos and ahs we heard, still rates tops with the heart-throb crowd who attend the open as a social spectacle. **Alex. McClumpha**, veteran greenkeeper of the Thornhill club and well-known North York resident, deserves a big hand for the condition of the course.

While we think of it, Colin Nisbet has re-christened the Aurora Golf club and it is now known as **The Highlands**, according to the sign outside the course. The lads still continue to rave about the condition of the course.

Gar Doolittle, former North York high school track star, now in training at Aldershot, N.S., for the Pacific trip, finished second in the 440-yard dash held in the camp championship meet. The time was 60 seconds. At Debert, N.S., **Sgt. Jimmy Oltcher**, former member of the first track team at Newmarket camp, romped home in front in the quarter mile in 54 secs, as well as running on the winning relay team. Another ex-Newmarket camp track star, **Lieut. Jimmy Holmes**, ex-sprints champion of M.D. 2, finished second in the century and furlong dashes held at London in the M.D. 1 championships recently. **Lieut. Holmes** is now stationed at Chatham basic training centre.

Unnoticed by far too many sports fans this season are the members of the **Newmarket juvenile baseball club** who have reached the play-offs at the top of the heap in the York Lions league and on their present form look capable of taking the championship unless they run into some tough breaks. **Stan Winger**, who is 16 and husky for his age, is greatly improved this season and with the possible exception of Ken Schell of Stouffville, is about the best receiver in the circuit. Bats in the clean up spot and possesses a good throwing arm.

Ken Broughton heads the canal town pitching staff and possesses a fair assortment of curves and hooks as well as a sweeping drop. He has speed and strength too and right now looks as good as any hurler in the league. Hews of Milliken included. **Ivan Gibson**, son of Eddie Gibson, is the southpaw member of the mound staff and while not possessing the same stuff as Broughton, is coming along fast. He can take a turn in the outfield if needed. **Tommy Dales**, son of Mayor Lowell Dales, is employed at Lake Simcoe for the summer but pitched good ball in the early part of the schedule and will be ready for the semi-finals.

Tommy McHale, son of Bernie McHale and a converted outfielder, is playing first, a spot his father played in other years. It looks as if there is something to the claim about heredity for he is showing plenty of savoir faire. He is the lead-off man and generally makes first via a walk or hit. The lads call him "Van Robays". **Ken Thoms**, son of Harry Thoms, is at the keystone sack and is playing a steady game. He looks as if he will surpass Uncle Chuck Thoms before too many years. He's nicknamed "Motts". **Jimmy Rutledge** is the pick of the league shortstops, covering acres of ground and pegging well. "Pee-Wee" bats in the second slot. **Johnny Palmateer** of hockey fame is the regular hot corner occupant but right now is on the sidelines following a bout with old man appendix. He is very fast and accurate in his throws. **John McTavish**, utility infielder, can play most spots well and has done a good job in Palmateer's shoes. He possesses plenty of natural ability and will develop over the years.

Don Brown in centrefield is one of the best fielders in the loop and this year has come through with some timely hits as well as sensational catches. He answers with a smile to the greeting of "Bowler". **Elgin Monkman** and **Harry Hill** complete the outergarden trio and with some seasoning and fielding practice, they will stand up with the best of them. Hill is a neat base-runner, an art too often overlooked by the kids. We can't miss handing an armful of orchids to our old friend **George Haskett**, for the grand job he is doing. Being manager, coach, keeper of the wampum and arranger of transportation is indeed a four-star job and one deserving a lot more support and encouragement than George is getting. He isn't complaining, however, and he figures he is well repaid for his efforts when his charges get out and battle it out all the way. The boys, needless to say, think George is tops and as the season draws to a close the benefit of his coaching is more and more apparent. Haskett hopes to see the Newmarket town league revived and he agrees with yours truly that Newmarket missed a golden opportunity in not having a bantam team this season.

Fred Hall and **Fred Evans** have done some swell work this year at the Lions park and these two gents should be able to get bantam baseball humming and bring needed replacements for Haskett's team. We don't need to mention that there is plenty of playing talent available, who only need a bit of coaching. **How about some support**, Mr. and Mrs. Fan? Why not make it a point to see some of the play-off games and dig down a bit deeper when the coffee pot is passed.

In the juvenile series Aurora, Newmarket and Richmond Hill are bracketted with Milliken and in the bantam, it is Aurora, Richmond Hill, Stouffville and Milliken. As previously released, Richmond Hill will enter the O.A.B.A. midget playdowns and Stouffville will enter the bantam series with all-star teams. **Stouffville** tried to get a juvenile entry in the O.A.B.A. but were too late. Despite a decision reached at the league meeting this year, there is likely to be juvenile ball in the district next season.

Newmarket camp softballers are currently engaged in the Toronto garrison league playdowns. Here is the way it works out. Army drivers, navy, R.C.A.F. and No. 23 are all participating in a round-robin series. As soon as you lose two games you're out and the tops two teams clash in the finals.

The fans got quite a surprise the other night when they saw **Joe Buda**, classy young hurler of the Mother Parker's Davisville senior club, take the mound for Newmarket mid-way through the game against army drivers. Buda, a decided addition to the mound staff, is not a soldier but a civilian. Then how come he is allowed to play in a service league playdown?

Here is the way **Johnny Callanan**, one of the masterminds of the Newmarket club, explains it. Navy, R.C.A.F. and army drivers have all lost players through discharges but they are still performing for these clubs as ex-servicemen civilians, due to a shortage of capable players in the centres involved. Consequently, the Newmarket team were granted permission to play one civilian on their team and by coincidence Buda was sitting in the park and was rushed into the game. The whole situation doesn't seem to make sense, at least we've never seen service sports run that way before but there it is. Buda, of Czech origin, is one of the most promising young hurlers in the Toronto district.

Charlie Ryan, maestro of Roselawns of the Wanless league who showed to advantage in Aurora recently, answers to the northern challenge for a post-season series with the announcement that if the dates can be satisfactorily arranged he's all for it. Richmond Hill have no softball park this year and would probably play the series if it materializes in Aurora. Roselawns, who are league leaders, have a well-balanced team but Ryan is quick to point out that the team which was in action in Aurora was not his regular club by any means.

The catching was handled by the veteran, **Huck Young**, and that was his first game of the season. Regular catchers are Gus McLeod and Army Armstrong and they are both of senior calibre. Ryan waxes eloquent when he thinks of his pitchers. **Norm Bowen**, 18-year-old Langstaff boy, is an up-and-coming hurler. He is aided by **Ken Darling**, who handled the pitching task in Aurora, **Teddy Bennett**, the veteran of North York softball, and Ray Hook, who finished the game the other night. Bowen is No. 1 hurler while Bennett is the relief ace and a "spot" twirler. Darling, while inclined to wildness, has oodles of stuff and is a youngster. Hook, an experienced veteran, needs work to get in shape.

Clare Palmer, the giant first sacker, is a nice target to fire to and a long ball hitter. The rest of the regular infield were away the other night. Doug Copeland is at second base, Jimmy Neil, ex-Angus Bombers, is at short and Hank McGouran is at third. They field and hit well. **Art Crean**, another Hill veteran, holds down one infield berth with "Monk" Harrison and Johnny Crewson completing a starting trio. Bennett and Young, both heavy hitters, are available for outergarden work. Then there are the utility players, Alex. Douglas and George Rennie, both of whom played last week. All in all, Ryan has a first rate club assembled and one that is likely to go places in senior B softball. It would make a dandy series to match them against the Barrie winners, or Newmarket camp.

Norm Briley, who ordinarily guards the goal spot for Syd Bowman's Newmarket soccer team which is still rolling along in fine style, is one of the outstanding performers in the T. and D. senior series. To show his versatility, Briley recently vacated the posts against Slovaks to bang home four goals almost single-handed and lead his mates to a brilliant 6-2 victory. A player like that certainly is a decided advantage to any team.

Charlie Thoms, former Newmarket Redmen hockeyist and Newmarket-Aurora baseballer, has been visiting in the district. Now in Kirkland Lake, Charlie looks in the pink and like so many former district athletes who have retired from sport, has added quite a few pounds. **Herb Cain** will be a member of Lester Patrick's New York Rangers this winter according to a dispatch from Boston. The Bruins traded defenceman Jack Shewchuk and Herbie for defenceman Bob Dill and cash. On paper it doesn't make sense as Dill didn't show to any special advantage last season. It would seem to indicate two things: First, that Ross expects to have a number of players, now in the armed forces, returning to the line-up, and second, that maestro Ross and Dit Clapper figure that the Newmarket boy and Shewchuk have passed their peak and are on the down grade. Seems strange since it is only two years ago since Cain led the league in scoring and last year, while not as effective as usual, he didn't do too badly. We understand Herb is not adverse to the trade. Herb will be 33 in late December and has been in the bigtime since the season of 1933-34. He will therefore be starting his 13th year in professional company and after all those years, while comparatively a young man, you can't expect to be as good as ever.

It will be his fourth N.H.L. club, Montreal Maroons, Les Canadiens, Boston and now New York. His style of play should fit in well with that of the Rangers. The whole deal came as a surprise and we understand even as the news was announced Shewchuk had been talking with Ross and wasn't given even an inkling of what was going on. So far as Rangers are concerned they will have quite a few North Yorkers pulling for them for Cain commands quite a popular following of fans. This may be the year for Herb to win the Lady Byng trophy, for Rangers are not the bashing type of team and the Newmarket product, always in low figures so far as penalties are concerned and certainly always under the heading of "gentleman" on and off the ice, has been cheated of the honor by Dame Fortune more than once. Let's hope 1945-46 will see him get the trophy.

We imagine Herb will more or less prove a nemesis to his old club. That seems to be the way it works out, but Cain will leave the Bruins for his new post with no resentment.

There will be quite a few hockey changes this winter. **Eddie Shore**, the former great defence star with Buffalo the past few years, has moved south to run

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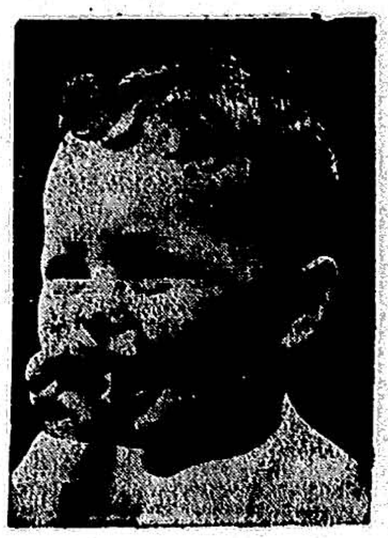
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DOWN THE CENTRE

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the Forth Worth, Texas, club in the American association. Fort Worth is owned by Mrs. Gene Carrigan, widow of the onetime manager of the Boston Red Sox baseball club and she is, we believe, the only female hockey owner in captivity. Dallas, Tulsa, Kansas City, Omaha, Minneapolis and St. Paul will make up the circuit just coming to life again. There will be plenty of opportunities for Canadian boys who can perfom passably well at the winter sport. Shore says he already has his team lined up.

Leroy Goldsworthy, former Boston-Canadiens player who spent last season on the west coast, is slated to look after the Dallas team. Out of a berth and with no announcement made yet is **Cooney Weiland**, former Boston star, who has been coaching Hershey Bears. **Normie Mann**, former Newmarket junior, latterly with Pittsburgh Hornets before joining the navy, is likely to receive his ticket any day now and be back in action again. That goes for **Gaye Stewart** of Toronto Leafs and Bob Goldham, who is expected to fill the shoes of Reg Hamilton, traded by the Leafs to Chicago.

George Gee, former Owen Sound junior who played in Halifax with the tars and was one of the stars of the senior service league there, is reported as coming to Toronto as part of the Hamilton deal. Only fault Gee has is a hot temper which flares out quite frequently.

With artificial ice a certainty by late November, Barrie Colts have made a bid for a junior A rating and are likely to be accepted into the O.H.A. top junior series. No definite word has yet been received but it is no secret the Barrie club is scouting players and looking for a coach of high rating. It is quite an expense to run a junior A club but Barrie figures that a top-ranking coach is necessary to get off to a good start and that junior B hockey will not pay as well as junior A.

St. Louis Flyers, which have a tie-up with Barrie, expect to train there and they doubtless have plenty of good material which will be turned over to Barrie.

We understand that Marlboros and Young Rangers will amalgamate to form one good Toronto junior entry under Eddie Wildey. Other junior entries would be Oshawa, St. Mike's, Hamilton, St. Catharines, Galt and Brantford. Junior A hockey would doubtless pay well in Barrie.

Jimmy Grainger of Richmond Hill, one of the main cogs in the junior set-up down south, informs us that **Charlie Rowntree** and practically all of last year's good junior team will be out to seek the junior B title in full force. The Hill is just about due, too. Jimmy has some new prospects in line and it is no secret to say that the Hill expect to land **Red Palmateer**, the good netminder of Newmarket juniors, and **Harry Caradonna**, who played on defence with last year's Redmen. Both boys will be as welcome as the flowers in spring and Grainger is of the opinion that Caradonna is a vastly underrated player who has everything required to bolster the Hill defence. Herman Easterhouse looked much better last winter when he transferred to the Hill from Newmarket, so Caradonna may too. Herb Rose and Mac Clement will both be back in action for the Hill. It was the loss of Clement that cost the Hill the group last winter.

Personally, we wouldn't be a bit surprised to see **Tom Forgie**, the brilliant young Markham forward, in action with the Hill either. Forgie practised with the Hill last winter and just about played with them.

The rumors floating about anent next winter's hockey are that **Bert Tunney** and Andy Closs are toying with the idea of an Aurora junior club (that one is perhaps a year away but Bert may come through); that **Jimmy Walker** and the Newmarket club will give up junior hockey and concentrate on winning the local juvenile group which would include Sutton, Bradford, Newmarket, Pickering College, St. Andrew's College, Richmond Hill, Aurora and possibly Stouffville or Markham and Unionville. Bolton also want to enter the local group. Strong O.M.H.A. groups in both juvenile and bantam are a definite thing for next year, although the proposed entries may vary. If No. 23 B.T.C. remains in its present status as a training camp and nobody appears to know the definite answer right now, you can depend on a strong team from that centre. Personally, we expect to see service teams allowed to compete in competition with civilian teams next winter.

It may sound a bit whacky to be talking hockey now but those nights are getting a bit shorter and as you can see there are plenty of people already considering all the angles. Those who are interested in hockey in the various municipalities would be well advised to get the whole thing straightened out right now before it's too late. Some of those resting on their laurels may find most of their players ready to play with another club next season. For those interested, we won't have to say more, they'll be in there pitching, but from past experience we do know that too much is left to chance and there is not sufficient planning or effort made.

BIRTHDAY CLUB

Birthday wishes are extended this week to:

Audrey E. Brown, R. R. 1, Sutton West, 13 years old on Sunday, Aug. 5.

Russell Marles, Holt, 13 years old on Sunday, Aug. 5.

Lowell Pegg, Sharon, 14 years old on Sunday, Aug. 5.

Joan Robinson, Newmarket, ten years old on Tuesday, Aug. 7.

Marian Wardell, Queensville, 11 years old on Wednesday, Aug. 8.

Bernard Kay, Keswick, 12 years old on Wednesday, Aug. 8.

Jane Marie Le Gresley, Newmarket, five years old on Wednesday, Aug. 8.

Bud Thompson, Keswick, 14 years old on Friday, Aug. 10.

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Ruth Mary Winch received an honor at the North York intermediate girls' camp when she was elected chief camper by vote of the girls.

Rev. W. P. Fletcher, Bowmanville, a former Keswick minister, recently celebrated the 50th anniversary of his ordination.

Patti and Lillian Connell, Doreen Smith and Mary Jean Marritt were among the young people from Toronto who visited their Keswick homes over the holiday.

Evening service of the United church next Sunday will be transferred to Indianola Beach park and will precede the usual concert.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Gilroy and son, Douglas, Oakville, were holiday guests of Mr. Gilroy's mother and sister. Douglas is remaining for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Harron, Toronto, were weekend visitors at the home of Mrs. Harron's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Walden.

Pte. Sherman Sedore has been home on leave visiting his parents and will return to Camp Borden shortly.

Pte. Oran Sedore, who has been home from overseas for some time, is in Christie St. hospital, Toronto, for treatment.

Mrs. James Clark and Mrs. Clark, Sr., have just returned home after spending a month's vacation in Vancouver.

Mrs. Lorne Anderson and family spent two weeks holidays at Stirling.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pollock, who have been on their holidays visiting in the community, spent a few days at Pine Beach with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Pollock.

Miss Ivy Whitehead has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Robt. Mathews. Miss Lambert has also been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Mathews.

ZEPHYR

The August meeting of Zephyr W.I. will be held in the Community hall Wednesday, Aug. 15, at 8 p.m. Mrs. W. Curll will be hostess. Roll-call will be recipes using less sugar. Current events will be by Mrs. W. N. Rynard. The program committee is Mrs. B. Armstrong and Mrs. Thomas. Hostesses are Mrs. Carl Meyers, Mrs. N. McNelly, Mrs. J. H. Lockie and Mrs. W. Squires.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lloyd, Point Anne, spent the past week with Mrs. E. Profit.

Miss Enid Blackburn is visiting Miss Jean Rynard this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Merton McNelly, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Meyers and Betty spent the weekend in the Muskoka district.

Rev. and Mrs. Bamford and Charlie are holidaying at Washago Beach.

Miss Blanche Clark and a friend of Toronto and Miss Jean Clark and a friend of Newmarket spent the holiday weekend at their home here.

Rev. and Mrs. Shein, Mrs. Shier and Doris had tea on Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. B. Lockie.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Dunn, Patsy and Jimmie, Newmarket, were at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pickering for the weekend.

Miss Jean Profit is holidaying with Mr. and Mrs. G. England, Oshawa.

Mrs. Hubert and Judith Walford, Toronto, are visiting Mrs. Bartlett and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Horner, Cannington, had tea on Sunday evening with Mr. Norman Horner.

Miss Betty Armstrong is visiting at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. W. Harman, Uxbridge.

Master Carl England, Oshawa, is spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. L. Profit and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Dean spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Midgeley spent Sunday at Unionville and Monday with Mr. Midgeley's parents at Greenbank.

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RAVENSHOE

There was a good attendance last Sunday, when Mr. Lapp delivered a splendid message.

Next Wednesday will be the monthly supper, served from six o'clock forward, with Mrs. Wm. King and Mrs. Walter Rose as hostesses. Everyone welcome. Commencing at 2.30 there will be Red Cross quilting in the afternoon.

The harvest is coming along. Wheat is cut and some oats are ready for cutting. There were some very good crops of wheat. The hay crop was also very good, after the wet weather at the start.

Mrs. Wm. Crowder celebrated her 77th birthday on July 30th, a few relatives being with her for supper and the evening. She is in good health.

VISITS SISTER

Sgt. Gordon F. Williams, Ottawa, recently returned home after four years' service overseas, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Fred Lewis, Newmarket. Sgt. Williams was wounded in the left arm while serving in Holland.

SHARON

Mrs. John Ash, Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. H. McCague, Victoria Square, and Mrs. Ivan Sisler, Jean and Evelyn, Port Credit, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Ash, Howard and Noel.

Miss Ethel M. Shaw, Grand Rapids, Mich., is spending her vacation with her sister, Miss Nora Shaw.

Miss Irene Blunt is spending holidays at Eagle Lake, Sundridge, Ont.

Mrs. Buchanan is holidaying at Port Bolster with her sister, Mrs. Wilson.

Mr. Lilholt and Mr. and Mrs. Lange, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. Lilholt and Lillian.

LAC Howard Fry, Winnipeg, is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Fry.

Miss Alice Ramsay spent the weekend at home.

Mrs. Eugene Kiteley and family spent Sunday at Willow Beach with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Newton.

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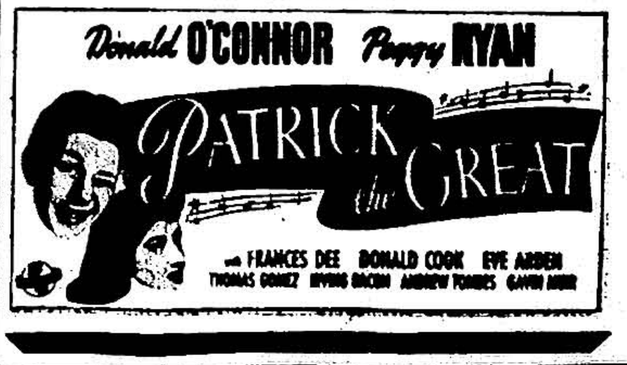
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WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY



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MOUNT ALBERT

ELLEN JANE ROWEN WAS ACTIVE IN TOWN

Ellen Jane Rowen, Mount Albert, died at York County hospital Sunday, July 29, following an illness of one week. She was the wife of Peter Eugene Rowen who predeceased her on April 8, 1938.

The daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John A. Ramsden, she was born at Franklin, Ont., March 16, and married Oct. 12, 1898. A member of the Mount Albert United church, her home was her main interest. She was active in community life, being at one time the president of the library board and president of the Women's Institute branch.

Funeral services were held at her residence July 31 with interment in Newmarket cemetery. Rev. Bamford conducted the services. The many floral tributes sent by friends and neighbors were evidence of the position she had in the community.

Suriving are one son, B. M. Rowen, a granddaughter, Frances, a brother, B. F. Ramsden, Toronto, and three sisters, Mrs. H. S. Burns (Anna), Hamilton, Mrs. Ross McBean (Mabel), Toronto, and Mrs. J. L. Stiver (Arlie), Ottawa.

Mrs. Rose Smith and Jean, Lindsay, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Boden, Oshawa, Miss Muriel Armstrong, Brantford, Mrs. Freda Quigley, Toronto, and Pte. Lorne Paisley, Toronto, spent the week-end with Mrs. C. Paisley and Mrs. T. Boden.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Moondy, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John Oliver, Jr.

Mrs. T. Boden is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. L. Boden, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Dean (Olive Boden), Oshawa, and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Boden, Ajax.

Mr. and Mrs. John Irvine and family, Toronto, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. Handford and Mrs. Reg. Wilbee.

Mr. and Mrs. Mirrless, Stayner, and Mr. Vernon Armstrong and Miss Mina Oliver, Toronto, were holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Oliver.

Flt.-Lieut. Oliver Dike left on Tuesday to report back to Dartmouth, N.S., after spending a furlough at home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rennie and family of Kitchener were visitors at the home of Mr. Rennie's mother, Mrs. Rennie, Sr., and his brother, Mr. Jim Rennie.

Miss Flora Griffith is spending a month in Toronto with her sister, Miss Edna Griffith.

Mrs. D. Ciglen and little son of Meaford are visiting Mrs. Ciglen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Stiver.

Miss Biggs and Miss Moffatt, Toronto, and Mrs. Joint, Oaklake, Man., were recent guests of Mrs. J. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Robertson and daughter of Fort Erie were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Robertson over the holiday.

Miss Doreen Turner and a lady friend spent the weekend with Miss Turner's mother, Mrs. Rhoda Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carr visited Mr. Carr's cousin, Mr. Ganton Carr, Mrs. Carr and family, at Woodville on Sunday and attended the annual decoration serivce at Eden.

Mr. Lorne Clement and family of Toronto were recent guests of his sister, Mrs. Bruce Rolling.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McKenzie and family, New Toronto, visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Rolling.

Mrs. H. Borrowman and Edith, Welland, and Mrs. G. Reid, Matachewan, Ont., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Steeper over the holiday. While here they renewed many old acquaintances in the village.

Dr. and Mrs. Lorne Stokes and John D., Hanover, Mr. and Mrs. Don Degier, Miss Etta Stokes and Mrs. Fairy, Toronto, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stokes.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hayes and Irma, Toronto, visited Miss E. Hayes over the weekend.

Mrs. T. Allison spent a couple of days in Toronto last week with her sister, Mrs. Annie McMullen.

A miscellaneous shower was held on Monday night at the home of Mrs. Jas. Thompson for her daughter, Velma, a bride of this week. She received many nice and useful gifts.

Rev. F. Binnington, Toronto, will be the guest speaker at the United church next Sunday.

Mrs. C. W. Davidson, Toronto, and Dr. and Mrs. Burns and Miss Bernice Burns, Hamilton, were visitors in the village last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Thompson, Toronto, were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Watts.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Harmon, Parry Sound, were guests this week of Mr. Harmon's sisters, Miss Bertha Harmon and Mrs. Theaker.

Mrs. Ethel Harmon is holidaying at Lake Simcoe.

The farmers in this district are harvesting very fine crops of wheat. They also have dug many bags of early potatoes for which they have received a good price.

A number from the Young Men's Bible class spent a weekend at Midland Park.

The Mount Albert Concert Company is putting on the program at the Nobleton street frolic, Aug. 23.

The Mount Albert annual tennis tournament will commence Aug. 20. All entries close Aug. 15. This tournament is open to anyone in the community.

MOUNT PLEASANT

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Lee, New Toronto, are spending some holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mitchell.

HOLT

About 80 attended the Sunday-school picnic held at Midhurst Park last Friday. A very enjoyable time was reported.

Pte. Max King arrived home safely on Sunday after five years of service in the European war.

Several from Holt attended the tent services at Pegg's Park on Sunday.

L.O.L. No. 902, Mount Albert, held their annual ice cream social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Gibney on Aug. 1.

Miss Beatrice Gibney spent the weekend with Miss Helen Shaw, Sharon.

Messrs. Graydon and Gordon Pharm, Toronto, have been holidaying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Marles.

Miss Jean Gillis, Toronto, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Watts.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker McFarland and Francis enjoyed a trip through Oshawa and Peterboro on Sunday.

SNOWBALL

The meeting of the Snowball Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. Alvin Ridley at 2.30 on the afternoon of Aug. 22.

Miss Ruth Webb, Toronto, and Miss Mae Sanderson, Richmond Hill, spent Sunday with Miss Hazel Webb.

Miss Orma Haines, Toronto, spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Orven Barr.

Mr. Jack Devins, Weston, and Mr. Stuart Mills spent the holiday weekend at Wasaga Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ridley visited friends at Uxbridge last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ridley and Nancy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Harper, Pleasantville.

Ronald Green, Milton, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ridley, is spending a few holidays at their home.

Miss Edna Morning, Toronto, spent the holiday weekend at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crawford, Toronto, spent Civic holiday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Morning. Mr. and Mrs. Morning returned to Toronto with them for a short vacation.

Miss Noreen Wilson, Bolton, is holidaying with Mrs. Raymond Haines.

Miss Brenda Morning recently spent a day with friends in Toronto.

Miss Blanche Morning is visiting relatives in Toronto.

Sgt. George Jasper returned from overseas recently and spent a few days of last week in this vicinity. George has signed for Pacific duty.

CEDAR BRAE

Harvesting seems to be in full swing with the best crops on high land. The yield of fall wheat is very encouraging.

Quite a number from here attended the ball tournament and carnival held at Zephyr on Thursday.

Mrs. Mahlon Sedore spent Sunday in Toronto visiting her husband who is in the Toronto Western hospital recovering from a serious accident sustained two weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rae and Walter, Virginia, and Mrs. Alice Fairfield, Toronto, visited relatives here on Sunday.

Mrs. Norman Doughty is in Toronto for a few weeks taking treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. George Black and Gary, Toronto, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kay on Sunday.

KETTLEBY

Mr. Fred Tilson and daughter of Edmonton were visiting relatives in the community last week.

Mrs. B. McCarrol, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McCarrol, Miss Ileen McCarrol and Mr. Edward Kennedy, Lloydtown, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stevenson and Mr. and Mrs. Leland Heacock.

Mrs. Lennox and daughters of Toronto were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Heacock. Mr. Joe Rustin, Tottenham, was also a guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. Heacock.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beatty called on Mr. Wm. Little at Christie St. hospital. Mr. Little has just recently arrived back from overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beardmore, Weston, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dave, Creemore, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Anson McCluskie.

Mrs. Phyllis Davis, Aurora, and Miss Vera McGill and Miss Nesbitt, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. Tilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Blatchford and son, Wayne, Toronto, spent the holiday weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Brown.

Miss Beatrice Williams and Miss Mae McCluskie, Toronto, spent the weekend at their homes.

Miss Margaret Blackburn, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. L. Blackburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Watson and family of Newmarket were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Cook and Velma.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Johnson, Brampton, Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Robertson and daughters, Joyce and Ruth, Milton, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Webster and family and Mrs. Matilda Barradell were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Barradell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Webster and daughter, Betty, spent Sunday with Mrs. S. Geer.

Miss Doris Geer spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. E. Hill and Mrs. T. Shanks, Aurora.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hilborn, Newmarket, spent the holiday weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hilborn.

Miss Sarah Barradell spent a few days last week with her cousin, Miss Betty Webster.

LAC and Mrs. Robt. Hunt were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith, Toronto.

Mr. Iredale is home after spending two weeks' holidays with his daughter, Mrs. Lunas, Toronto.

Mrs. Lawrence Freeman spent last week in Toronto.

Mr. Jack Loudon, Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. Herb Loudon. Mrs. Black, Buffalo, is spending a few days with Miss Loudon and Mrs. Smiley.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sloss, Newmarket, had Sunday night supper with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schmidt.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fumal, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. E. Teincamp.

Miss Joyce and Master Lachlan McKellar are holidaying with their grandmother, Mrs. Murray, at Severn River.

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UNION STREET

The August meeting of the Union Street Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. McClure Thursday evening, Aug. 2.

Mrs. Beckett, the president, opened the meeting with the Institute Ode, followed by the creed. The motto was: "Some people are always too busy to do anything but talk about how busy they are."

The roll-call was do's and don't's for canning.

The layette shower was well responded to.

A very enjoyable program was given. Miss Blanche Breen read a story, Pigs Is Pigs, followed by Community singing. Mrs. Archie Sedore gave a paper on social welfare which was very interesting.

The meeting closed with a social half hour, during which lunch was served. Mrs. Graham extended a vote of thanks to the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Micks, Elwin and Violet, spent Sunday at Brampton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cowieson, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cowieson.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Carelton and son of Toronto spent a couple of weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Swanson.

Sunday guests at the Reg McIntosh home were Mr. and Mrs. Jay McIntosh and family of Detroit, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Shaddock, Scarboro, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth West, Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wallace and family of Toronto, Mrs. George West, Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Chesley Clark and family, Zephyr.

Miss Shirley Cole and Peter spent a few days in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Perry, Toronto, are spending a week's holidays with Mrs. Perry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sim Graves.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cole spent Sunday in Toronto.

Vern Gibson has returned home after an appendix operation at York County hospital.

KESWICK

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lloyd and Mrs. Vera Herring, Agincourt, were guests of Mrs. J. Van Norman Sunday and also called on other friends.

Mrs. Jack Bond and Miss Elma Bond, Guelph, spent the holiday weekend at the Power's cottage, Keswick Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Gilroy and small son, Douglas, were holiday guests of Mrs. A. Gilroy and Miss Eva Gilroy. Douglas remained for a two-week visit.

Mr. Munro Mann and Mrs. T. Mann, Detroit, spent the weekend here with friends.

Monday's rain spoiled the holiday fun for the crowds of tourists who were here.

Mr. and Mrs. John King and Miss Jean King, Newmarket, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orville King.

L.-CPL. J. V. RYE WED IN BRANTFORD

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bewick, Brantford, when their youngest daughter, Audrey Eunice, was united in marriage to L.-Cpl. James Vernon Rye, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milford Rye, Keswick. Rev. Mollins officated.

The bride was gowned in white silk jersey and carried red roses and snapdragons. Mrs. Bartly Fulcher, sister of the bride, gowned in turquoise blue silk jersey and carrying pink roses was matron of honor. L.-Cpl. Kenneth Peters was best man.

The reception was held at a restaurant in Brantford. The happy couple left amid showers of confetti and good wishes for a trip north. The groom will later rejoin his regiment for training for Pacific service.

EAST GWILLIMBURY COUNCIL

The August meeting of the East Gwillimbury council was held Saturday, Aug. 4, with all members present.

The council passed a resolution approving of the Hollinger Bus Company's proposal to run a bus line from Mount Albert to Toronto. Reeve Walter Proctor was appointed to represent the council before the municipal board in support of the bus service.

The following rates were set for levy purposes for the year 1945: general school, 6 1-10 mills; high school, 4 8-10; county rate, 4 1-10; road rate, 5 5-10; general rate, 3; relief and hospitalization, 1.6.

The clerk was instructed to order billfolds from the Institute for the Blind for the purpose of presentation to the boys and girls in uniform, to express in a small way the appreciation of the East Gwillimbury people for their services.

The following accounts were passed for payment: Jim The Druggist, $16.85; hospitalization, $45; Vern Kellington, sheep claim, $10; W. H. Croutch, sheep valuator, $10; S. S. No. 7, office supplies, $3.85; S. S. No. 7, school dental grant, $9; Mary J. Watson, care of indigent, $26; J. L. Smith, salary, $125; J. Jardine, constable, $90; L. J. Farr, relief officer's salary, $10; Village of Sutton, relief account, $22.98; cash relief, $105.39.

Road accounts were also passed for payment as follows: steel for bridges, $195.13; cable, $73.88; fuel oil, $26.05; mower, $80; repairs and grease, $39; stamps and gas, $24.86; fence bonus, $20; express and freight, $15; crushing and gravelling, $684.47; superintendent, $115.

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—Sgt. and Mrs. W. F. Johnson and son, Chris., spent the weekend in Toronto visiting Sgt. Johnson's brother, Mr. E. C. Johnson, and family.

—Mrs. P. N. Bowman, Niagara Falls, N.Y., is spending some holidays with Mrs. E. H. Adams.

—Miss Ruth Pearson, Toronto, is spending some holidays with her sister, Mrs. H. W. Armstrong, and her grandmother, Mrs. John Keetch.

—Mr. Bob McElroy, Toronto, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. McElroy.

—Miss Sadie Findlay, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. Capt. Arthur Robinson.

—Capt. and Mrs. Fred Brightwell and Sylvia, of Windsor, former Salvation Army officers here, were renewing old acquaintances in town on Tuesday.

—Misses Gertie and Jennie Gray, daughters of Major and Mrs. P. Gray, Marmora, are visiting at the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hays. Major Gray is with the Canadian Provost Corps.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moynihan, Willowdale, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Blight on Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pemberton, Mr. Percy Pemberton, Tpr. Delbert Pemberton and Miss Lois Pemberton, spent the weekend visiting Mrs. Pemberton's brother, Mr. Geo. Simpson, and sister, Mrs. Frank Walter, Barrie.

—Misses Kathleen and Helen Miller spent the weekend at Camp "Fairhaven" on the Trent river.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Tinegate and son, George, have returned to their home in St. Catharines after visiting friends and relatives here and at Collingwood.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Tinegate and George and Mrs. Annie Sanderson spent Sunday at Alliston visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Tinegate.

—Mrs. Fred Hoare spent the weekend in Toronto with her daughter, Mrs. Geraldine Flinnigan.

—Mrs. F. E. Cook spent a few days last week visiting friends in Toronto and Bracebridge.

—Mrs. J. M. Holloway and son, Wayne, are spending a few days in Toronto with Mrs. Catherine Holloway.

—Misses Elva and Doris Whiteside, Toronto, spent a few days last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Geer.

—Miss Vera Geer, Reg. N., of the Toronto General hospital staff, spent the weekend at home.

—Miss Leola Lord, Toronto, is spending a few days the guest of Miss Marion Stark.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hollingshead and daughters, Doris and Zelta, and Miss Dorothy Wright, King, took the weekend boat trip from Midland to Parry Sound, and called on Mr. and Mrs. Melville Schrank on their way home.

—Miss Margaret Moffat, Toronto, spent the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Moffat.

—Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Lyons and children of Scarboro Bluffs called on Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McCaffrey on Civic holiday.

—Miss Nordheimer, Toronto, will be spending next week with her sister, Mrs. W. A. McCaffrey.

—Mrs. W. A. McCaffrey is spending next week at Roche's Point.

—Miss Barbara McHale is spending a week in Toronto with Mr. and Mrs. James McHale.

—Masters John and Robert Henderson, Peterborough, spent Saturday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Basil McHale.

—Mrs. A. F. Johns is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. D. McPhedran, Rockwood.

—Mrs. Fred Hoover and Mrs. Freeman Thompson, Keswick, spent a week with Mrs. Hoover's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bolton, Niagara Falls.

—Mrs. Jos. Slowser, Claresholm, Alta., was visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Newson and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Craig over the weekend.

—Mrs. Stanley Bowler and family of Bewar Lake, Sask., are spending their holidays as guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Newson.

—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Craig and daughter, Shirley, are holidaying at Trout Creek and North Bay.

—Orla Phillips, Toronto, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. B. Phillips.

—Mrs. D. F. McCann, Toronto, has returned home after spending a week with her son, Mr. D. R. McCann, and Mrs. McCann.

—Mr. A. Wm. Brice, Ypselanti, Mich., returned home today after visiting his mother, Mrs. Walter Brice, Andrew St.

—Mrs. Clare St. John, Aurora, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Frank Bennett, and Pte. Helen Brymer, C.W.A.C., are spending today in Toronto.

—Mr. Hugh Bunton, Toronto, was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Riddell.

—Mrs. Wm. Preston, Toronto, visited her son, Cpl. Gerald Preston, and Mrs. Preston and family, and also called on friends last week.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. J. Donald Davidson, Newmarket, announce the engagement of their younger daughter, Gertrude Pearle, to Flt.-Lieut. John David Malcolm, only son of Mrs. Ernest Saxon, Newmarket, and the late Thomas Malcolm, the marriage to take place on Saturday, Aug. 25, at 3 p.m., in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Newmarket.

POTTAGEVILLE

Sunday-School Picnic Held At 'Stonelands'

On Saturday the Pottageville United church Sunday-school held its annual field day and garden party at "Stonelands," the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stone. Close to 300 people attended.

Races were run during the afternoon. Following this a substantial supper was served by the ladies, who were given much credit for being able to cater to such a huge crowd.

In the evening a splendid program was put on, Mr. A. Archibald acting as master of ceremonies. Rev. C. Cragg gave a short address of welcome, then all joined in saying the Lord's Prayer. Miss Valerie Hunter of Tottenham sang several numbers. Her sister, Evelyn, dressed in dainty costume, did a clever tap dance and also sang. The "Corn Poppers," consisting of Gordon Phillips and George Stone who played violins, Ross Remus, guitarist, Harold Stone, bass violin. Mrs. Stone, pianist, played old time dance tunes which kept the audience tapping their feet. Cliff Douglas of Schomberg had a trained dog which performed clever tricks. Miss Beatrice Proctor sang two solos as also did Miss Betty Burt-Gerrans.

Mrs. J. Hillard, Miss F. Charlton and Mrs. F. Maughan, Toronto, spent the weekend and holiday at their summer cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilson and family, Toronto, called on Mrs. John Cutting on Sunday.

WEDDINGS

DUNNING - BARTHOLOMEW

On Saturday, Aug. 4, in Leaside United church, Leaside, Allene Louise Bartholomew, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bartholomew, Newmarket, to L.-Cpl. Allan James Dunning, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Dunning, Bradalbane, P.E.I. The happy couple left on a trip to Montreal and P.E.I.

HUNTLEY-TOPPING

At Donland United church, Toronto, on Saturday, July 28, the marriage took place of Phyllis Eleanor Topping, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Topping, Dawes Road and O'Connor Drive, Toronto, to Gordon Huntley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Huntley of Queensville.

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CHASSIS LUBRICATION
TOM BIRRELL
FORD SALES AND SERVICE
GOODYEAR TIRES
EXIDE BATTERIES
NEWMARKET PHONE 740
FORD FERGUSON TRACTORS AND IMPLEMENTS — TRUCKS — CARS